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Photographic History
OF
NEWARK
AND LICKING COUNTY



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There is a time in the history of every city when it is proper and necessary that it should let the world know of its progress, advantages and activities.

Newark is situated in the center of the State, and at the confluence of the North and South Forks of the Licking river, giving it a sufficient water power for all manufacturing purposes. It is also the midway city between the East and the West, and accessible to all parts of the state and nation, by its trunklines railroads and traction companies.

Newark keeps her splendid and proud position to which she is so meritoriously entitled, by her geographical location, by her wonderful increases in wealth and population, by the phenomenal development of her manufacturing and financial interests and by her great progress and expansion in both a material and moral sense. Being located in the centre of the largest natural gas fields in the state, and in close proximity to large coal fields, the cost for fuel for private and manufac-

uring purposes is reduced to a minimum.

Newark has never taken a backward step; but on the contrary her mercantile trade is active and prosperous, her financial interests are rapidly expanding in number and magnitude, and every line of activity is advancing rapidly and permanently. The demand for real estate holdings

is wonderfully active, and the sinews of life is noticed in every line and artery of trade.

The social life of Newark is fascinating, charming, and varied; libraries and educational institutions cultivate the ethical nature, and the many places of amusement go to make Newark a most desirable place in which to live.

Hence we think it a pardonable and just pride to set forth herein a brief and concise history of her resources, and industries, her wealth, her moral standing and influence,



LICKING COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

and her social condition, making Newark one of the most progressive and active cities in Ohio; and these things are noted and written without any disparagement to any other city in the state.

Newark is the County seat of Licking County, Ohio, and being the third largest county, in area, in the state and from which she draws all kind of farm and garden products, her gas and coal fuel, corn, wheat, oats, rye, barley, hay, and all the cereals, wool, cattle, sheep and hogs are raised and produced in the county, which gives Newark one of her most advantageous sources of wealth and commercial influence.

Newark has in a degree experienced something in her early days, of the tomahawk and scalping knife, and as an evidence of that prehistoric race, we have the circular and octagon mounds which have become noted the world over. The State located the State Camp grounds among some of these mounds.

It is a pleasure of the oldest inhabitants to watch the growth and progress of their city from a village of a few hundred inhabitants sixty years ago to 25 000 of to-day. The city is not limited in area for rapid growth; from all points of the compass she has unrestricted territory in which to build.

The city is laid out in squares with streets from fifty to one hundred and fifty feet wide. The Court House park is in the centre, and is one of the most beautiful parks in the state. Her streets are paved and well kept and dotted everywhere with beautiful shade trees. Even the streets and buildings along her railroads are well kept, and present a neat and clean appearance. In fact, every section of the city presents a neat and thriving appearance, due largely to the fact that each inhabitant owns his lot and dwelling.

There is a larger per cent of real estate owners in Newark than in any other city in the state. But few purchases can be made, due largely to the attractiveness of the city and demands for labor. No person is out

of work in Newark; it goes without saying that Newark has the best water-works system in the state, and its present capacity will accommodate ten times the number of its inhabitants. No city in the state is better lighted with electricity, natural and artificial gas. Our public and parochial schools are the best; we have churches of every denomination.

Our banks and financial institutions are a Gibraltar of integrity. Gas coal and oil fields are at our door, and these in connection with the unsurpassed agricultural district surrounding Newark, make her the cheapest city in the state in which to live.

Many costly and imposing buildings are seen all over the city. If beauty of location, advantages of unequalled business opportunities; if environments elevating in influence, if good health, wealth and happiness are attractions in a place of residence, then Newark attracts like a mother and rules like a queen.

Never before in the history of Newark has there been such a demand for homes. The workman has his own home, made attainable by the large manufacturing industries which are dispensing just coin for good service.

Nowhere in the world can any person look out from his own home, surrounded by his happy family, and be more content than in Newark. Newark is also a delightful place of residence for the man of wealth and leisure.

No inland city has better transportation facilities. Its railroads and traction lines extend east and west, north and south. One of the first things to be considered by a manufacturer, besides cheapness of fuel, the abundance of water and geographical location, is the facilities for transportation.



NEWARK POLICE FORCE.

CITY OFFICIALS



J.W. WILEY
BOARD OF PUBLIC SERVICE

J.P. LAMB
BOARD OF PUBLIC SERVICE

S.B. LIVINGSTON
BOARD OF PUBLIC SERVICE

THEO. BALL
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

FRANK A. BOLTON
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

FRANK T. MAURATH
CITY AUDITOR

PHILIP B. SMYTHE
CITY SOLICITOR

ANDREW J. CRILLY
MAYOR

HARRY ROSSELL
VICE MAYOR

C.H. WELLS
CITY ENGINEER



LEADING PHYSICIANS



CARY F. LEGGE
6 E. CHURCH ST.



A. H. RINE
29 1/2 S. 3rd ST.



C. A. FOSTER
avalon bldg



W. ELMER BOYER
224 W. MAIN ST.



J. W. HORNBY
49 W. MAIN ST.



DALTON H. MILLER
68 E. MAIN ST.



J. P. LATIMER
28 E. CHURCH ST.



D. H. MILLER
68 E. MAIN ST.



B. F. BARNES
204 E. MAIN ST.

Newark has attained a proud record in the commercial world as being a great industrial and manufacturing centre. Her proximity to coal, gas and oil gives her a commanding influence to the more permanent industries, while having as a feeder for the products of the mine, the forest and the farm, and possessing large facilities for the distribution of its products, nothing is lacking to make Newark the best city for the location of manufacturing establishments of every kind. Newark has the capital, facilities and the intelligence, for the manufacture of every stable article.

No longer is she compelled to rely on the east and the foreigner in these matters. Her sound financial institutions and business methods have made all these things possible.

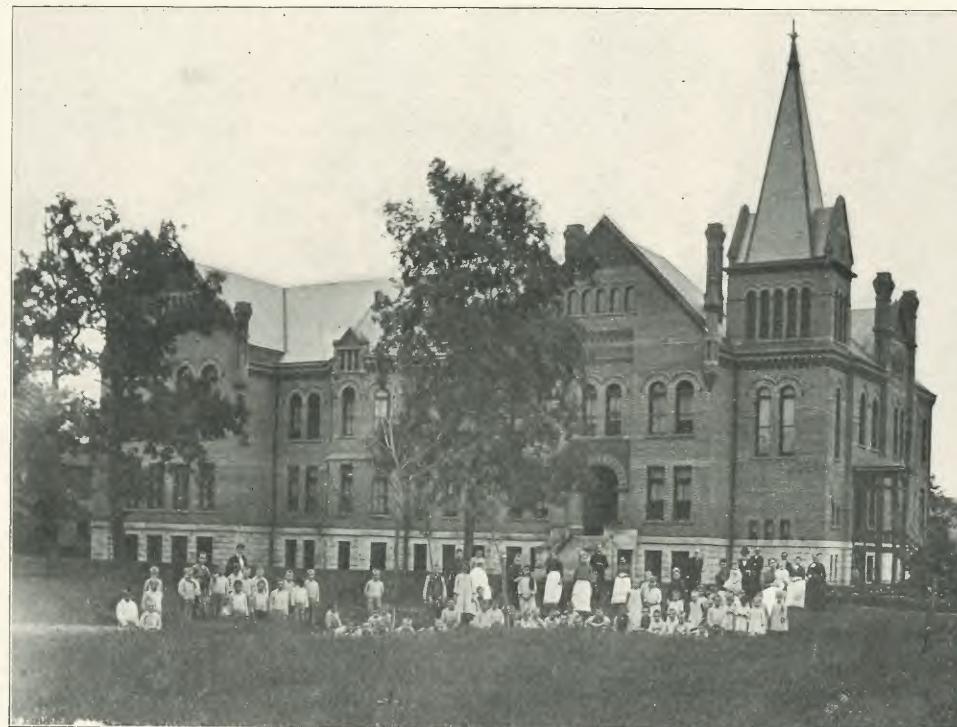
The volume of general trade is growing every year. Trade is active in every section of the city.

The value of the wholesale in stoves, cars, agricultural implements, engines, glass, steel, bent wood work, quartered oak, groceries, etc., is estimated by millions, and every line of trade is in a healthy and prosperous condition.

It would be improper not to note the banking and financial institutions. Newark holds a proud position with the largest cities in these matters. The banks have played an important part in the progress and development of the city, and their capital has always been available to her citizens. During the great financial depressions not a bank in Newark failed, and withdrawal of deposits was never questioned. Of what prouder record can Newark boast? Her banking is modern and the management has the best ability, coupled with excellence of system, and the universal policy of the manage-

ment is safety. And the influence of our Building associations is felt in almost every home; and these loan and building associations have added largely to the financial standing of the city. Here again are found stability progress and conservative management.

There has never been an inflation in the value of real estate, unlike many other cities in this respect. While real estate is in great demand purchases can be made at fair prices from reliable agents. The present limits of the city is about four miles square. Vacant lots are purchased with the intention of building thereon, and thus the purchasers become interested in the city's welfare, and become our most public and spirited citizens; and still great opportunities are offered to the investor in real estate. The city is not noted for its extremes of wealth and poverty. The largest number of sales of real estate is made to the person of moderate means; the toiler and wage earner. There are unlimited locations for home and factories at reasonable prices. Newark holds out to the investors in factories and real estate many opportunities and the Board of Trade are ready to give



LICKING CO. CHILDREN'S HOME.

at all times assistance to any person firm or corporation who wish to locate here.

There is one institution more than any other that has assisted the city to her proud position, viz: her educational institution. Every citizen is interested in the popular education of his children, and that interest is largely demonstrated by the facilities which our citizens have provided for communicating knowledge to the masses. We have the public,

THE KING COMPANY.

The first of the business houses in our "Photographic History of Newark" is "The King Company."

This old established business is not only the largest, foremost and oldest shoe and hat house in Newark but is the pioneer establishment or business of any kind in the city, having been established in 1830 by Joseph and Nathan King, father and son, Quakers from New Jersey. Nathan King continued the business until just before the civil war, when he was succeeded by his son, O. G. King. Mr. O. G. King was engaged in the business until his death in 1892, when the firm name was changed to "Prout & King." Mr. William L. Prout, who was in the store 44 years, and the widow of the late O. G. King continuing the business until March 1903, when they were succeeded by the present firm, or "King & Co." The partners being Mrs. O. G. King and Fred King, the later being manager.

During the many years of the old firm's highly successful business career and steady growth, it has attributed its success to the fact that by giving their customers all that a dollar would buy, no competitor could give more. Its integrity and trustworthiness is highly appreciated throughout the community as is seen by the enormous business they do and their leading position in their line of business. The photographs of the store were taken at its present location at 11 South Third Street.

They occupy the entire building, which consists of three floors and a basement. The store room is 20 feet front and 200 feet deep.

The first floor is used for shoes and hats, the second for shoes, hats, trunks and valises, and the third for a stock room, while the basement is used for rubber footwear, leather and shoe findings in wholesale and retail quantities. This comprises their stock of boots, shoes, hats, caps, trunks, valises, leather and findings. The King Company employ 12 salespeople, thoroughly competent and expert salesmen, who realize that a badly fitted foot or hand is apt to result in a dissatisfied customer. Some of the employees of "The King Co" have been with it many years and their services are highly valued. Among these are Miss Sarah Jones, the cashier,

who has served a term of 25 years; Mr. Fred L. Jones, assistant manager 27 years; Mr. F. L. Woodbridge, 25 years, and Mr. Chas. Wesson, 20 years. Most of the others have been long with the firm. The King Co buy their goods in wholesale quantities direct from the manufacturers, thus enabling themselves to sell goods at the most reasonable prices.



EXTERIOR OF STORE.



INTERIOR OF FIRST FLOOR.

the parochial, the private and the special schools, and a university at our door. All these means of education are patronized by our citizens who are everywhere holding enviable positions. Our public school enrollment is nearly five thousand.

All religioius sentiment finds free expression in Newark. There are many imposing churches dotted over the city, eminent divines officiating. In brief the religous training is carefully looked after. Particularly, do we mention the great good done by our Young Men's Christian Association, the Railroad Christian Association, the Womens' Christian Temperance Union, the Christian Endeavor Societies and others. Newark has obtained a religious prestige such as can not be said of many cities of her size in the Christian world.

Since the new municipal code has been enacted the city has adapted itself to the new order of things with remarkable success. The city government is in good hands. An examination of the group of city officials will reveal their names which are a guarantee of efficiency and integrity of public affairs. No other body of men has so much to do with the city's property as its officials. All are heavy taxpayers and every interest of the property owner and citizen is guarded with zealous care. While many public improvements

are being constantly made, still the bonded indebtedness is reduced each year. Not only are the finances of the city carefully watched, but the public health has always received great attention. Newark has never had a severe mortal epidemic. When one manifests itself, our city officials at once employ means to stamp it out. They have now under consideration a new and complete sewerage and garbage system, and when completed the city will be fully fortified against desease of every kind.

In this connection, too much praise can not be given to the efficient corps of physicians who are grouped herein. They have given our city officials valuable medical advice in cases of necessity, and have thus been a great factor in the general welfare of the city. Among them are Doctors, C. A. Hatch, R. E. McCullough, J. G. Bower and D. M. Smith who compose our Board of Health. Their names are a bulwark in the medical fraternity. Their labors have been incessant and arduous. They are doing a great work for the city and under their watch-

ful eye and efficency in the practice of medicine, the city's water is constantly being analyzed and every known germ is killed and the citizen guarded from contagious desease.

Coming on to the manufactures, space will not permit an extended notice of these industries. The most mammoth growth of the city's manufacturing interests brought out the best and most efficient intelligence, and a large investment of capital. It can boast of the largest Stove Works in the world, viz; The Wehrle Company which occupies twenty acres in the west end of the city. When running in full capacity it has two thousand men on its pay roll, paying out annually to its workmen more than \$3,000,000. All grades of stoves



NORTH SIDE OF PUBLIC SQUARE.

are made here which are sold in all parts of the civilized world. It is under the conservative management of Wm. W. Wehrle who is its president. The Wehrle Company and its management constitute the most useful element in the city's industrial development.

Another of her important and highly appreciated establisments, is the B. & O. Engine and Machine shops located in the east end of the city. It manufactures engines and cars for its own use and employs

THE GREAT WESTERN CLOTHING HOUSE.



INTERIOR OF FIRST FLOOR.

The Great Western Clothing House, located in Newark in 1882 by L. Hirshberg, the present owner, and is today one of the business institutions of the city that has done much to establish Newark's reputation as an important clothing center.

The high standing of the store among the best dressers of Newark is a criterian of the esteem and regard in which the experience and taste of Mr. Hirshberg is held and as a result has achieved an enviable popularity and has aided in building up the present enormous trade enjoyed by this firm.

The space occupies two floors equal to three, where during the different seasons from eight to fifteen clerks are employed. The first floor has a ground area of 22 by 100 feet, while the second is 45 by 80 feet in dimensions. This space is divided into departments which are under the supervision of competent assistants. All the departments are well stocked with the choicest goods of many varieties and of the most artistic cut and finish.

The store enjoys an extensive trade in ready to wear suits, the sale of fine hand tailored clothing being a specialty of the Great Western, many hundreds of suits being sold each year, a large per cent being to the better class of dressers in Newark and vicinity.

In the haberdasher's department is embraced everything in men's furnishings, including underwear of the finest quality, fit, and make; hosiery in most popular patterns and the highest grade material, neckwear of fashionable styles. The trade has enjoyed a steady and substantial growth and increase of prestige, since the establishment of the store and is today considered the standard for all to follow. Mr. Hirshberg is the pioneer of "One Price Clothing" in Newark, having instituted this excellent method when the business was started in 1882.

He is one of the most progressive of Newark's business men, and enjoys the confidence and patronage of a large circle of friends.



INTERIOR OF SECOND FLOOR.

1800 workmen, and pay out to them annually \$2,500,000.

Another of Newark's enterprising industries is the E. H. Everett Glass Works located in the northern portion of the city. Among its principle products is the manufacturing of bottles and canning jars which are sold in all states in the Union. It employs about 800 workmen, and is one of the oldest and financially the strongest institution in the city. Mr. E. H. Everett is the president and is an active and entergetic manufacturer. Its pay roll is about \$2,000,000 annually.

One of the leading concerns engaged in the manufacture of traction and stationary engines, is the Scheidler Machine Co., located between First and Second streets. Its buildings are of brick and cover over two acres of ground. It employs many skilled and expert workmen and has on its pay roll about 100 men. Late Mr. Reinhardt Scheidler its president was accidentally killed and the works have descended to his heirs who are conducting the business with vigor and success. It sells its products all over the world.

Another of the city's most appreciated industries, is the McNamara Machine Works owned and operated by Julius J. D. McNamara.

It is located between Second and Third streets and occupies with its buildings and yards a large space of ground. Mr. McNamara is one of the city's wealthiest citizens, and has been conducting the manufacture of traction engines and repair material ever since the death of his father, who was engaged in the same business. His engines are sold in all the states and in many foreign countries, and it is one of the oldest industries in the city.

The Thomas Foundry is located on the North Fork of the Licking River in the southwestern portion of the city and employs a large num-

ber of workmen; it is an old and established industry of the city and gives labor to more than 100 men.

One of the city's mammoth concerns is the A. H. Heisey Company located in the east end of the city, and manufactures all kinds of hollow glassware. It employs about 300 persons and has an annual payroll of \$1,000,000. Its products are sold in all parts of the world. This plant was greatly enlarged in 1903, increasing its force of men and annual output. It was incorporated and commenced business fourteen years ago.

The Pratt, Kirk Co. is located in the eastern portion of the city and is engaged in the planning mill business and the manufacture of timber into lumber. This plant is one of the largest of the kind in the state and employs a large force of men.

The DeWitt Wire Cloth Works is located in the north end and manufactures wire cloth of every description. It located here about fifteen years ago and gives employment to a large force of skilled workmen. W. H. Henthorn is its manager.

The Wyeth, Sleigh and Oil tank works are located on Columbia Street, where they have done business for over twenty years. Sleigh runners and oil tank wagons

are its principal output. Mr. A. C. Wyeth is its president and manager. These works have done much to spread the name and fame of Newark as a manufacturing centre.

An establishment of high merit and financial standing is the Newark Furniture Furniture Company located on South Sixth Street, which manufactures furniture of all kinds. It was incorporated but a few years ago but its business has increased wonderfully and rapidly, and it is rapidly climbing to the front. Its specialty is the manufacture of folding beds. W. W. Wehrle is its president, and J. C. Brennan secretary and treasurer.



Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

THE HOME BUILDING ASSOCIATION CO.

The Home Building Association Company, commonly known as "The Old Home," was chartered in March, 1880, the incorporators being E. Nichols, Jos. C. Wehrle, Frederick Kochendorfer, John McCarthy, Wm. P. Fitzgibbon and Geo. Braunhold. The organizers had two objects in view; First—to aid people of limited means in securing homes of their own; and, secondly—to furnish a safe method of saving for those who desired to lay aside a portion of their earnings.

These objects have been kept steadily in view, and year by year the association has grown, until it is now the largest financial institution in Licking county.

The statement of the Company for the year ending December 31, 1903, shows assets and liabilities as follows:

ASSETS.	
Cash on hand,	\$45,218.37
Loans,	810,243.10
Furniture and fix- tures	1,600.00
Real estate,	8,175.89
Due for insurance and taxes,	325.91
Bonds,	11,341.87
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	\$876,905.14

LIABILITIES.

Running stock.....	\$330,528.16
Paid up stock.....	152,110.00
Deposits.....	378,145.06
Contingent fund.....	16,121.92
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	\$876,905.14

The officers of the Company are as follows:

President, Dr. Chas. A. Hatch.
Vice President, W. G. Taafel.
Secretary-Treasurer, Emmet M. Baugher.
Solicitor, Albert A. Stasel.
Assistant Secretary, Harry Scott.
Cashier, Chas. C. Mc Gruder.



HOME BUILDING ASSOCIATION CO.

about 1,700 savings accounts in force, ranging from 25 cents up, and representing the savings of Newark's working people, largely. For the year 1903 the company distributed \$30,900 in interest and dividends.

Building Associations are no longer an experiment, but conducted as they are on sound business principles, have proved their right to exist by each year increasing both in volume of business and the confidence of the people. The Home Building Association, with its 23 years of careful management and usefulness, is one of the solid institutions of Licking Co.

The Association loans money on real estate only, first liens, at reasonable rates of interest. No premiums are charged, and payments are allowed to be made at the low rate of 25 cents weekly for each \$100 borrowed, with privilege of paying more if desired, or of paying off the entire loan, or any part of it at any time, thus enabling people of limited means to procure a home on extremely easy payments. The Association also make straight loans for a definite period, only semi-annual. As an evidence of the good accomplished, the Association, January 1st, had 882 real estate loans in force, averaging about \$900 each, aggregating the large sum of \$795,800.

At the same time there were

Among the many manufactures which makes Newark almost a paradise, is the Jewett Car Company located in the west end of the city on William and Cambria Streets. It covers over ten acres of ground and manufactures street and interurban cars. Its speciality is the manufacture of elevated and interurban electric cars. It employes over 400 men, including mostly skilled mechanics. W. S. Wright is president and A. H. Sisson is General Manager.

The Newark Gear Wood Company is located on William Street in the west end, and was established fifteen years ago. Bent wood for carriages and gearing are made here and have ready sale in all the states. Its business is large and prosperous and employes fifty men. W. E. Miller is president and W. H. Hartshorn secretary and treasurer.

Another industry that has spread the fame of Newark in all the states and Germany is The Newark Machine Company which is located in the west end of the city. It is engaged in the manufacture of Clover Hullers, Manure Spreaders and Fanning mills. It has had marked success in its line of business which is largely due to the late and lamented superintendant, Abram Miller, who improved all its patents. It has 100 workmen on its pay roll. Mr. J. H. McCune is its president.

The Newark Iron & Steel Company is situated in the west end where it occupies nine acres of ground. It manufactures steel castings which are sold everywhere. It is a new enterprise and employes fifty men, and is under the efficient management of Hon. J. M. Swartz, as president and Hon. Wm. E. Miller as Secretary and Treasurer.

The Newark Artificial Stone & Plaster Company has just beeen incorporated, with A. R. Pitzer, County Auditor, as its president, and Frank Mercer as secretary. It will locate on about two acres of ground in the West End along the trunk lines of the B. & O. and P., C.,

C. & St. L. R. R. It will manufacture block stone for building purposes, rock plaster. The best business men of our city and Dresden are the incorporators, and a successful career is predicted.

The Vogelmierer Brick Co., located in the South End have had a successful career, and has established a wide business trade, and employes a large number of men.

The Consumers Brewing Company, located at the Corner of First and Church Sts., occupies over two acres of ground. Its capacity is over 300,000 barrels per annum. Charles Andre is president and J. A. Kremer is Secretary.

Among the distinctive industries of Newark is the manufacture of halters by the Rugg Halter Factory. This industry began in Newark about five years ago, moving here from Alexandria and since that time has grown to large proportions. It is located in the North End in a large and commodious brick building. Mr. E. T. Rugg is president and manager of the factory.

One of the wonders of the financial history of Newark has been the phe-nominal growth of its banks and banking interests during the past ten years, and deposits have increased accordingly.

The Peoples' National Bank; Twenty years ago about twenty of Newark's citizens got together and organized the People's National Bank,

with W. N. Fulton as its first president, who continued to be its president for eighteen years. It is one of the most solid financial institutions of our city. Its surplus is \$60,000 and undivided profits \$20,000. It has a capital of \$150,000. It is conducted on broad lines, not, however, loosing sight of those conservative methods so condusive to safety, security and soundness of a bank. These latter conditions necessary not alone for the stability of the bank, but protection for those of whom they receive funds. To those who contemplate a trip to the continent is extended the services of The People's National Bank.



AUDITORIUM.

ADDISON L. RAWLINGS.



INTERIOR OF STORE.

The advantages of musical culture and its adaptation to our homes, human needs and happiness is becoming greater each succeeding year, and thus securing a fuller recognition and appreciation. Historical research and a knowledge of literature and the classics may give breadth to the mind, but it remains for musical culture and accomplishments to contribute refinement and happiness in the home and society. Prominent among the business men and citizens generally, in Newark is Mr. Addison L. Rawlings, the leading dealer in musical instruments, located at No. 4 North Park Place, in the new Lansing Block. The room is 22 by 110 feet in dimensions. The specialties to which Mr. Rawlings has given his attention are fine pianos, the leading makes handled being Smith & Nixon, Ebersole and many other standard makes. While he is prepared to supply almost any instrument made and is entirely familiar with the qualities of all instruments on the market, he makes a specialty of the makes named above for the reason of their superiority in tone, beauty and durability, and will take great pleasure in giving those desiring to purchase all information on the subject, having ten assistants, all experienced in their several lines, to wait on trade. Mr. Rawlings also handles the latest popular sheet music and general musical merchandise.

Mr. Addison L. Rawlings was born in Alleghany County, Maryland, July 25, 1853, and has been engaged in this line of business almost his entire life. He is a prominent member of the Masonic Order in Newark, one of the charter members of the American Protective Union and a member of the Royal Arcanum. He is considered one of Newark's representative business men and is always interested in the city's welfare, as is evinced by the time given the Newark Board of Trade when the services of the citizens of Newark were necessary to secure for the city some large manufacturing plant or other important business enterprise. He is also an enthusiastic member of the Beach Island Club, one of the leading social organizations of the city.

Mr. Rawlings has been very successful in business and in addition to the large establishment in this city, owns a number of flourishing agencies in other places, to which he gives a portion of his time.



A. L. RAWLINGS' RESIDENCE.

The institution will issue letters of credit, readily available and cashable in all cities of the world. Benjamin Franklin is president and E. B. Dennis cashier.

The First National Bank: This bank is located on the southeast corner of the square, and is one of the oldest banks in Newark. It has a capital of \$100,000 and a large surplus and undivided profits. These bespeak, and evidence a healthy and steady growth, and also betoken the confidence in which it is held by those who have banking affairs to transact. F. H. Wright is president, and E. S. Wright is cashier.

The Licking County Bank Co.: The Licking County Bank has been in business less than two years, but it has had a remarkably successful career. While the growth of its business is strong and healthy it is conducted along most conservative lines and is now one of the most successful institutions in the city. It has recently established a savings department to its banking feature. It is located on the North side of the Park and conducts a general banking business, paying interest on time deposits in its savings department, issues foreign letters of credit, drafts and money orders on any part of the world. One of the most successful bankers of the state is He is accomadating and conservative. He is also treasure of Licking Co. and holds the entire city and county in his merited confidence and esteem. The assets are nearly three quarters of a million and has a comfortable surplus. W. N. Fulton is president, and E. W. Crayton cashier.

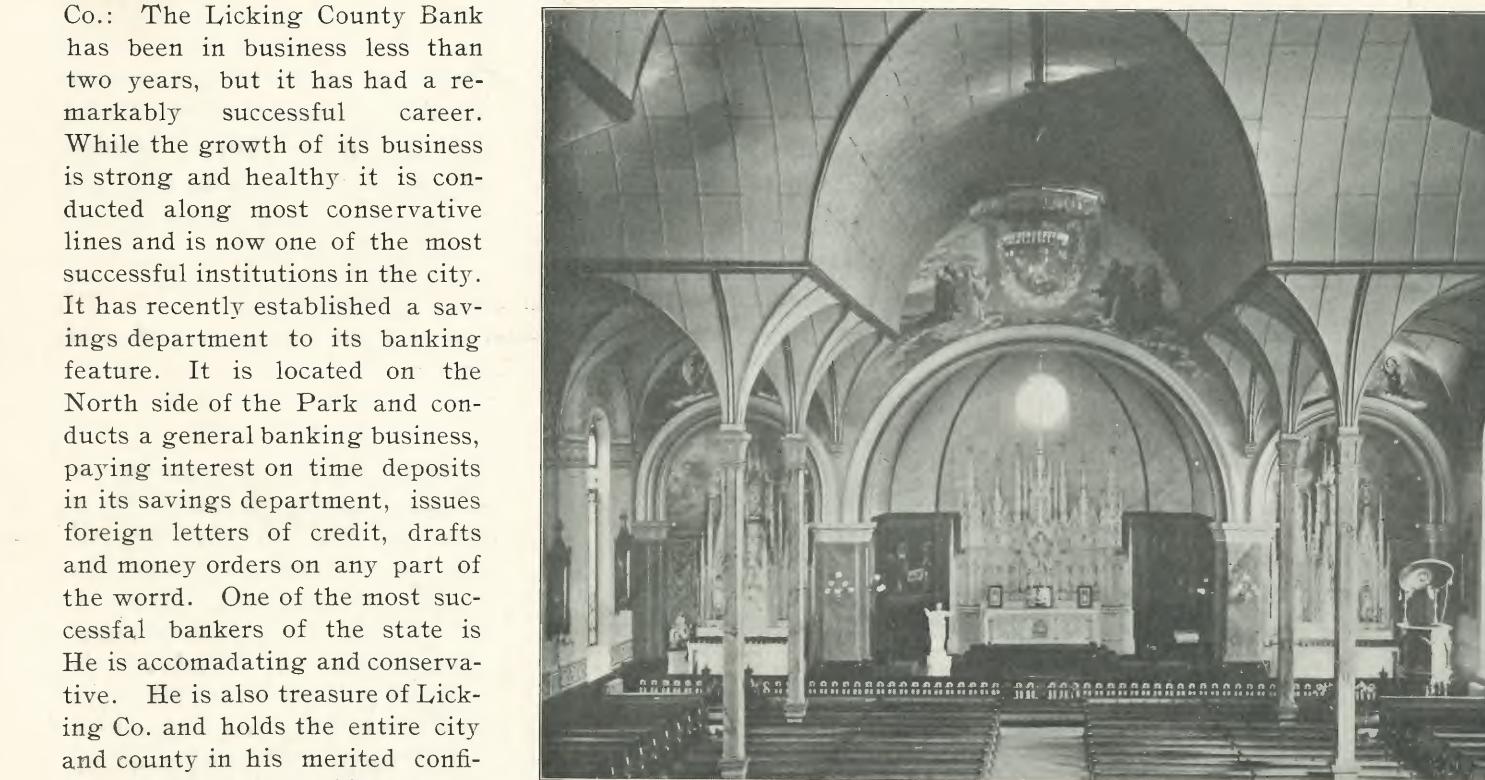
The Newark Savings Bank Co.: Suggestive of industries of the city is the name of this institution, which has been identified with the financial life of the city since 1888. The bank has always catered to the business and laboring people, and has built up a reputation and clientele among them which is among its most valuable assets. It is the pioneer in giving interest on savings. From 50c to any amount is received and interest paid on same every six months. The bank was first organized by

Mr. J. F. Lingafelter, and afterward organized as the Newark Savings Bank Co. to meet the great demand for additional banking facilities. It has a capital of \$75 000, assets of nearly \$300,000 and a large surplus. L. P. Schaus is president, and J. F. Lingafelter cashier.

The Franklin Bank Co.: The history of this bank is as old as the history of Newark. The old institution was known as the Robbins, Winegardner, Wing & Co. In reviewing the financial resources and interest of Newark, adequate and comprehensive reference should be made to this estimable bank. Organized many years, the bank immediately assumed a lead-

ing position in the financial life of the city, which position it has maintained and strengthened throughout its existence. The fact that it has been a large factor in the upbuilding of so thriving a city as Newark, gives the Franklin Bank Co. almost a national importance. One of the best men in the state, Hon. Lucius B. Wing had been the president up to the date of his death a few a few years ago. Its capital is \$100,000 and has a large surplus. D. C. Winegardner is president and W. A. Robbins cashier.

Mounds of Idlewilde Park and State Encampment Grounds: No place in Ohio or elsewhere are the works of the mound-builders more extensive, more diversified and more gigantic in proportion than those in the immediate vicinity of, and in the corporate limits of Newark. It is said that an eminent writer, an archiologist of Ohio has observed that those mounds in and about Newark are



INTERIOR VIEW OF ST. FRANCIS DE LA SALES CHURCH.

the most extensive and entricate, as well as the most interesting in the State and perhaps in the world.

We gather from the written history of these mounds, by Mr. Isaac Smucker, to whose writings we give all the credit for the information herein set forth, that these mounds became known to the white settlers in the Licking Valley about 100 years ago, all of them being covered with a dense growth of forest trees, many of them having a circumference of

THE POWERS-MILLER CO.



THE POWERS-MILLER COMPANY BUILDING.

woolen fabrics, and etc. In the carpet department is everything from the most common grades to the finest Three Ply and Tapestry, Body Brussels and velvets, a specialty being fine imported rugs. The furniture department embraces an immense stock of the higher grades, although moderate in price, showing the largest variety in the city.

On Sunday morning, December 6, 1903, the building occupied by the Powers-Miller Company was completely gutted by the largest fire that had visited Newark in many years, almost the entire stock of the company being totally destroyed. Notwithstanding this terrible blow, the company at once made arrangements to house a small section of the stock which had been stored in another building and thus escaped destruction, and in a week opened a store in the Tucker block in East Main street, where they remained until the building on West Church street was ready for occupancy in March. The new store was opened with probably the largest and most complete stock of the kind of any store in Central Ohio. The building occupied was entirely rebuilt and remodeled throughout, making it the most convenient and up-to-date establishment of the kind in this section of the state, and the trade the first month after the opening far exceeded that of any month before the fire.

The officers of the Company are:

President and Manager. Geo. D. Bradshaw.

Vice-President and Assistant Manager, Frank Link.

Secretary and Treasurer. William C. Miller.

While Newark rivals in the beauty of its surroundings the most flourishing and progressive cities in this section of Ohio, we must consider the great strides that have taken place in the last few years, in both commerce and manufactures, and it must be admitted that not only have the city's natural advantages and resources been factors in her acquired greatness, but that unremitting energy and foresight of her representative business men have formed a solid basis of the city's steady growth. Probably the largest and one of the best known and most substantial business houses in the city of Newark is the Powers-Miller Company's Department Store, dealers in dry goods, fine furniture, notions, carpets, etc., located in the new Union Block in West Church street, between North Third and North Fourth streets.

The business was established in January, 1903, and through energy, enterprise and experience has been built up to very gratifying proportions. The premises occupied comprise a commodious store, with four floors with basement, in all covering 28,800 feet of floor space, admirably arranged, the interior decorations being most artistic. A pleasing harmony to the eye and an atmosphere of good taste and culture prevails throughout.

More than fifty clerks and assistants are employed in the various departments of the store.

The stock is probably the most extensive and complete of any in this section of the state, every thing being new and well arranged, giving the store a picture of neatness and artistic elegance. In the dry goods department may be found every conceivable article wished for, the stock embracing the finest varieties of domestic and imported silks, cotton and



ONE OF THE VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS.

more than ten feet and showing by their concentric circles to have had a growth of more than 500 years.

The giant growth of walnut, sugar, maple, beach, oak and wild cherry trees stood upon its banks and within their enclosures and never despoiled by the woodmen's axe. The most noted of these mounds are included between the Raccoon and the South Fork of the Licking River and cover an area of about four miles between these streams. They are situated on a plateau of about 30 feet above these streams.

The foregoing mounds, both large and small, consisted of earth and in considerable numbers of parallel embankments but tolerable uniform height; of small circles, partial or incomplete, semi or open, all of low but well marked embankments or walls; of enclosures of various forms and heights, such as large circles—one parallelogram, one octagon and others which have become partially obliterated by the plow. The most noted of these mounds are located in what is now called Idlewilde Park, formerly known as the Old Fort. This mound is by actual measurement one mile in circumference. And in the middle of this mound there is another mound representing an immense bird on the wing which is known as the eagle mound. North of this mound about one mile

there is a circular fort containing 20 acres or more connected by parallel banks, with another of octagon form, having eight openings with a protection mound covering each of the entrances. These mounds are located on about 100 acres of land and about 14 years ago the citizens of Newark purchased this land for \$23,000 and gave it to the State of Ohio for the purpose of locating the State Encampment Grounds thereon. Previous to this purchase these mounds were plowed over, but after the State located the State Encampment there, all of these mounds were restored to their

original thickness and height, and now present a beautiful sight. Since that time the state has transformed the space occupied by these mounds into military grounds and each year, in the months of July, August and September, send the State Militia here for the purpose of drilling and schooling. There is target practice with machine guns and small rifles and ample space for the Military movement by companies regiments and brigades. In the year 1903, there was a Division Encampment which brought people from all over the State and from many places outside of the State, to witness the largest Encampment of soldiers since the late rebellion. There is a perfect target range from 200 feet up to 1,000 feet, and this year there will be many improvements made in the target range.

A more beautiful place for the encampment of Ohio soldiers, and at the same time more picturesque and historical could not have been found in the State of Ohio, for health and accessibility to all parts of the state.

Col. Thos. T. Dill, of Mansfield, O., was Adjutant General of the State and a member of the committee to select a site for the State Camp Grounds, and to him the citizens of Newark are largely indebted for the selection of Newark for the site of the Camp Grounds. Col. Dill is an old soldier

and creditable served his country in the time of war, and on account of his eminent services as a soldier and Colonel, and the good common sense used in the selection of a site for the encampment of soldiers, he was convinced that the Newark grounds were not only more available to all portions of the State than any other site offered but it had another great advantage on account of the natural drainage which was most conducive to the health of soldiers when in camp, especially in mid-summer.

His experienced eye revealed at once the fact that no artificial drainage



VIEW OF HUDSON AVENUE.

ROE EMERSON.

Among the oldest and best established business firms in Newark, none is better known than the Clothing House of Roe Emerson, located on the corner of Third and Main. This business was established by Mr. Emerson, who is sole owner, on the East side of the Square, July 28, 1887.

A few years ago his constantly increasing business demanded more commodious quarters, so he removed to the South Side, and afterwards to the building now occupied.

Mr. Emerson has always been known to hosts of friends and acquaintances as a man of his word, and this together with his special care and judgment in selecting his stock of Clothing, Hats and Furnishings with a view to securing and offering to his customers only superiority of quality, exclusiveness of patterns, and newness of styles has proved the key to his successful business career.

Roe Emerson was born in Liberty Township, Licking County, and spent his boyhood days among the hills of Old Licking, on the farm.

After completing his early school education, and at the age of twenty-one years he left the farm and learned telegraphy. Having completed this study he went to Missouri, but instead of accepting a position

as telegrapher, he taught school successfully for three years. He then returned to Alexandria, Ohio, in the year 1876, and entered the dry goods and general merchandise firm of Owen and Beaumont, and was employed here for seven years.

In the spring of 1883 he came to Newark and associated himself with Mr. D. S. Ambach in the clothing house for three years, at the end of which time Mr. Ambach discontinued his business in this city. Mr. Emerson then accepted a position with Mr. Chas. Washburn, clothing

merchant, on the East Side of the Square, in the establishment known as "The Buffalo." At the end of one year and a half Mr. Washburn's business career proved unsuccessful, and Mr. Emerson purchased the stock. He is a self-made man, nothing daunted, he worked early and late and success came to him, and he is now one of Newark's most substantial citizens. He is a member of the I. O. O. F., K. of P., A. O. U. W. and Newark Lodge of Elks.

Mr. Emerson's Newark store covers a floor space of 20 by 100 feet, and three floors, with a wing used as a children's department.

He also owns a large clothing store in Johnstown, Ohio, it being the leading establishment of the kind in the western part of the county.

Mr. Emerson has always interested himself in the welfare of Newark; is a member of the Newark Board of Trade; a Director of the Newark Trust Company Bank, and a stock holder in the Jewett Car Works.



INTERIOR VIEW OF FIRST FLOOR.



PICKED SHARP SHOOTERS.

would be needed on these grounds. It is impossible for a large amount of water to remain on the grounds even for half an hour.

These grounds are the admiration of all who have had the happy privilege of seeing them. The people are attracted from all over the United States, not only on account of the yearly military maneuvers held here, but on account of the history surrounding these grounds and their mounds. Who built these mounds and paved the streets or passage ways leading from one mound to the other will never be known. That they were built by some prehistoric race of people cannot be denied.



NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS OF BATTERY A ON PARADE.

CONCLUSION.

The economical conditions which have conducted to this unexampled development of Newark are cheap and plentiful fuel, cheap rates of transportation by rail, and improved machinery. The vast coal fields near its door contain enough of that fuel to last 1000 years to the present rate of consumption. This coal has a world wide reputation for excellence and cheapness and it has a weighty effect in the industrial preeminence of the city.

During the great coal mine strikes of a few years ago Newark had cheap coal compared with other cities.

But other agencies than the bounties of nature have entered into the mighty aggregate of Newark's progress. Science, enterprise and the skill of men have been indispensable factors in the result. The broad and far seeing policies of the city's eminent business men have also been among the most prominent causes of the magnificent achievements herein attained.

Newark, with all her attractions of nature, and of factory, is destined to win like a mother and rule like a queen.



BIRD'S EYE VIEW OF ENCAMPMENT GROUNDS.



CHAS. A. SMITH.

company, and later of the firm of Smith & Norris, being the senior member of this concern. He is a prominent Mason, Elk and K. of P., belonging to lodges in Newark.

Eugene J. Koos, Secretary and Treasurer of the Newark Lumber Co., was formerly with Swisher Bros., cigar manufacturers, for many years. He is a member of the Newark Lodge of Elks and also of the Knights of

THE NEWARK LUMBER CO.

Though only established January, 1902, The Newark Lumber Company ranks as one of the leading industries of the city of Newark. The plant of the company is the largest and most complete of the kind in the city, and its trade extends not only all over Newark but the entire Licking Valley.

The Newark Lumber Company is an entire new concern, owning and using large yards, located between Wilson street and the railroad west of South Sixth street, and the stock which is entirely new, is complete in every particular.

The officers of the company are :

President, W. S. Weiant.

Vice President and Manager, Chas. A. Smith.

Secretary and Treasurer, Eugene J. Koos.

Mr. Weiant is connected with the Newark Real Estate and Improvement Company and several other important business interests in Newark. Mr. Charles A. Smith, manager of the company, has been engaged in the lumber business in Newark for the past twenty-two years, and was formerly with the J. S. Bradley & Co., lumber Columbus.

The company's plant and yards are located most advantageously for quick delivery of stock, several sidetracks from the lines of the B. & O. and Pan Handle railroads running into the yards.

The Newark Lumber Company carries a complete stock of all kinds and classes of fine lumber.



EUGENE J. KOOS.



YARDS OF NEWARK LUMBER COMPANY.

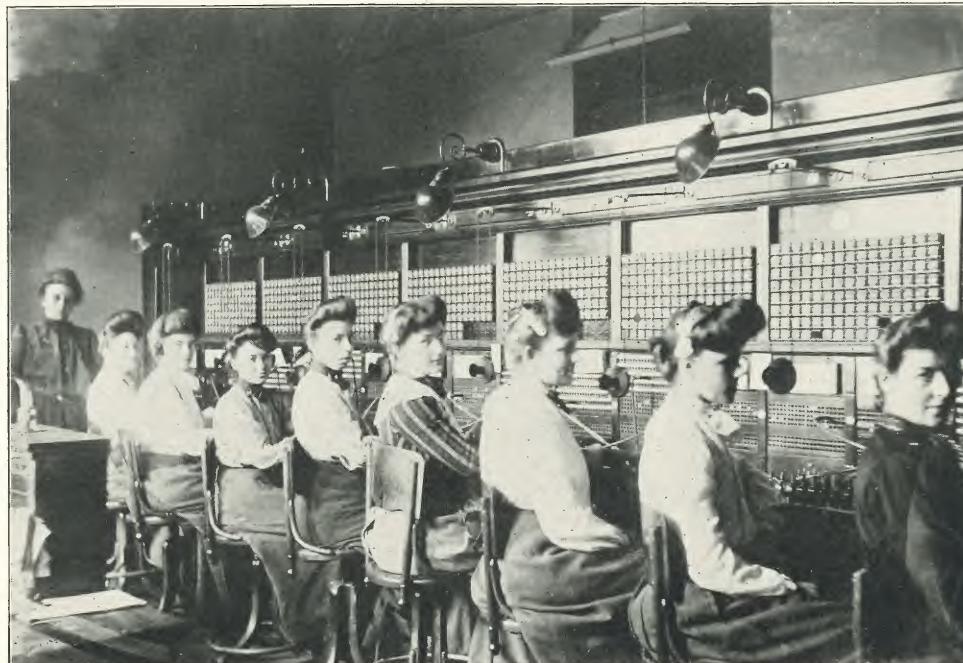
THE CENTRAL UNION TELEPHONE CO.

The prosperity of a city depends upon its facilities for the exchange of products with other cities by means of fast freight lines, and its facilities for rapid communication by means of efficient Telephone Service.

The Central Union Telephone System makes the citizens of Newark a part of the business community of almost every important city and town in the United States, having direct connection with Chicago, New York, St. Louis, Boston, Milwaukee, Philadelphia, Cleveland, Buffalo, Kansas City, Pittsburgh, St. Paul, Cincinnati and 25,000 other points.

Mr. J. T. Daniels is manager of the Newark District of The Central Union Company, whose offices and exchange are located in the Hibbert and Schaus Building in East Park Place, where they occupy the second floor, employing 42 people.

The Newark Exchange has more than 1500 phones in Newark.



OPERATING ROOM, CENTRAL UNION TELEPHONE CO.

The plant, which is one of the most complete in Ohio, was recently rebuilt at an expense of \$160,000 giving the subscribers a complete metallic service. A large number of rural lines have been built in the past year, giving a large portion of the farmers in Licking county direct connection with the entire United States.

Recently an exchange was opened at Hebron, Ohio, giving service without any toll charges to Linnville, Jacksontown, National Road, Luray, Kirkersville, Outville, Union Station, and Farmers between all these points.

Mr. J. T. Daniels is a native of Franklin Mass., and has been with The Central Union Telephone Co. for the past eight years. He has been in charge of the Newark office since December, 1902, and since coming here has succeeded in building the business to its present high standard. He is a popular member of the Elks and the Modern Woodmen of America, and enjoys a host of friends both in a business and a social way.

J. GLEICHAUF.

The name Gleichauf has been identified with fine furniture in Newark for so many years that the mere mention of the name brings to mind the well known fact that if you want the best that is made, it can readily be found at this store which occupies three stories, 133 by 60 feet, in the beautiful Fleek-Zartman building on West Main Street. The J. Gleichauf Furniture Store was established at 21 West Main Street in 1885, and the entire stock was moved to the present location soon after the new building had been completed in 1900. Twelve employes under the efficient management of Mr. Fred Gleichauf, who has been brought up in the business, are constantly busy looking after



FRED GLEICHAUF.

the enormous trade the firm enjoys. Mr. J. Gleichauf, owner, was born in Germany in 1851, coming to Newark from Ironton, Ohio, in 1885. He is Vice President and one of the original stockholders of the Newark Furniture Company and also owns and manages a large furniture store located at 746 Lorain Street, Cleveland. He is a leading member of the Knights of Columbus and the Knights of St. John, and is one of the most prominent and successful German citizens of the city.

Mr. Fred Gleichauf, the manager of the Newark store for the past two years, is a member of the Newark Lodge of Elks and Knights of Columbus.



FIRST FLOOR.



THIRD FLOOR.

MEYER & LINDORF.

One of the largest and most important establishments in Newark is the immense dry goods store of Meyer and Lindorf, located at Nos. 14-16 East Park Place, in what is probably the best stand in Newark for a store of this kind.

This sterling concern occupies three floors of the large Jones Block, each having a floor space of 42 by 150 feet. A large room on the south of the main store is used as a special department for cloaks, etc.

The territory from which this house draws its trade is not confined to Newark and Licking County, as the large mail order trade enjoyed extends all over the United States., where good goods are appreciated and wanted.

The Company owns two stores, the other being located at Clinton, Iowa, this being managed by C. H. O. Meyer, while Mr. A. R. Lindorf, the junior member of the Company, manages the Newark store so successfully.

The store was established about 18 years ago, the present owners taking possession in the spring of 1896, succeeding in building the business to its present standing, which is second to none in Newark.

Fifty persons are employed in the store, each department being under the able management of an expert in that particular line.

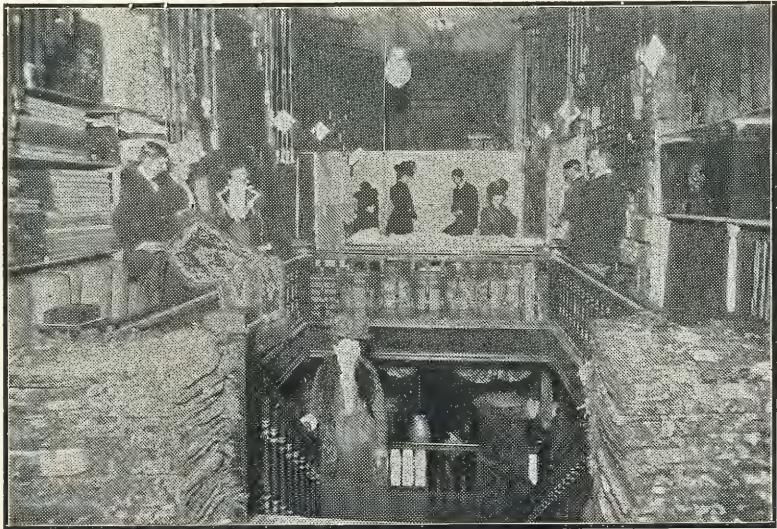
Mr. A. R. Lindorf, to whom is due much of the credit for the immense trade it enjoys, was born in Chicago, the home of great dry goods stores, in 1868, and for many years was employed in the emporium of Marshall Field, in State Street, Chicago, which store is known all over the civilized world as the greatest store in the universe. Mr. Lindorf is a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Newark Lodge of Elks and also the A. O. U. W. and is a great friend of the secret societies.

Mr. Meyer was born in Laporte, Ind., and was brought up in the dry goods business from a small boy.

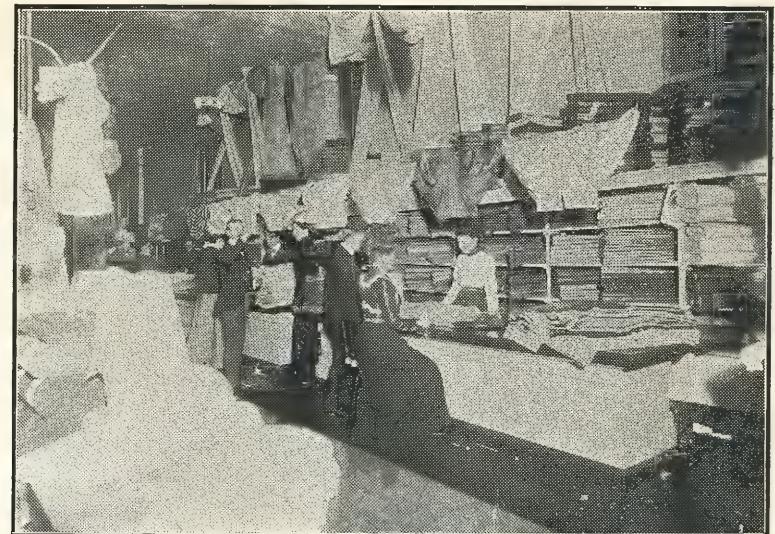
Twelve years ago he removed to Clinton, Iowa, and established the business which he has so successfully conducted.

He is quite well known here, visiting Newark every few months in the interests of his business.

The specialties of the store are fine silks and dress goods, carpets and furnishings.



SECTION OF CURTAIN AND DRAPERY DEPARTMENT.



SECTION OF WASH GOODS AND LINEN DEPARTMENT.

CARL & SEYMOUR.



CARL AND SEYMOUR IN 1904.

Wherever civilization has gained a foothold and commerce established its imperial sway, the trade in boots and shoes has been among the first to spring into existence, while in the older cities and towns this branch will be found to occupy a leading place among the mercantile establishments and to engage the attention of our most enterprising business men. The store of Carl & Seymour, located on the South Side of the Public Square, at No. 7 South Park, has been established since April, 1901, when it started in a small and almost unnoticeable room at No. 13 South Park. Here an enormous business was handled, when the quarters became too small and a larger room needed to fill the demands of the ever increasing business. The present room was then secured, this occupying a floor space of 20 by 100 feet, with two floors, and have a trade extending all over Newark and Licking county.

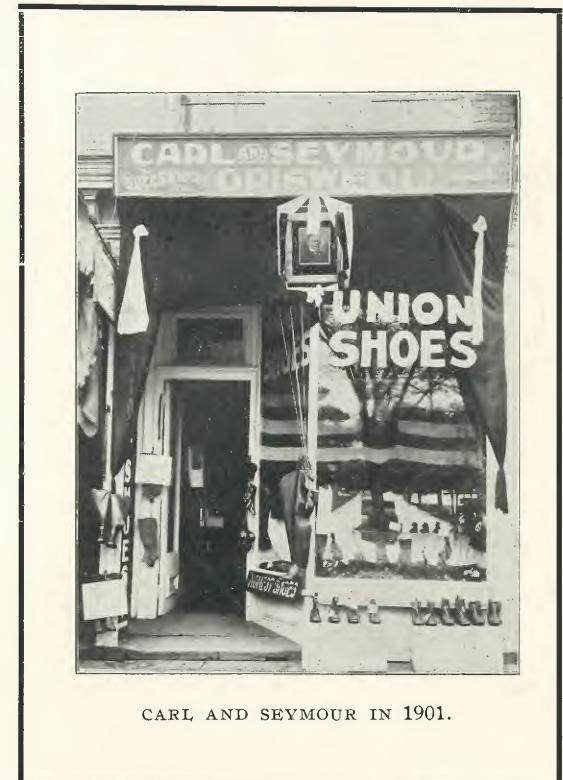
They carry a complete stock of all kinds of boots, shoes, rubbers, etc., among which can be found the following specialties: Banisters, Uncle Sam, Thompson Bros. and Stacey Adams, for men, and Donovan, Miner and Son, Uncle Sam, Radcliff and Bordman, for women.

L. F. Carl, the senior member of the firm, was born in Akron, O., April 18, 1865, and strated life's battle by clerking in a general store, after which he went into business for himself, in manufacturing stoves at Girard, Ohio. Mr. Carl has been a resident of Newark since the spring of 1898, and in that time has made many friends.

William F. Seymour is a product of the West, and was born in Nebraska City, Neb., April 18, 1864, and spent several years of his life on the range as a cow boy. After practicing law in Nebraska for sometime, he came east in 1891, and took charge of Seymour Brothers shoe store,

holding this position for five years, after which he was with the Sample Shoe Company, until embarking in business for himself. He is a member of the Protected Home Circle, Knights and Ladies of Honor, Pathfinders, A. O. U. W., Modern Woodmen, American Protective Union, and is an honorary delegate to the Trades and Labor Council.

Mr. Carl is also a member of several secret societies, among them the M. W. of A.; Knights of Pythias, A. O. U. W. and K. A. O. E.

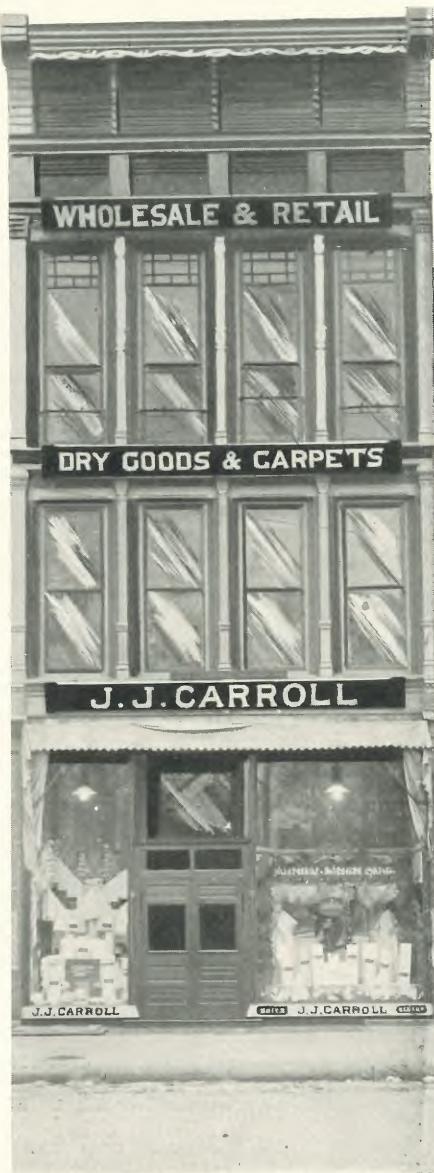


CARL AND SEYMOUR IN 1901.

JOHN J. CARROLL.

The dry goods trade is always one of the most important features of the commercial enterprise of every great city. The city of Newark is no exception to this rule, and its leading houses engaged in this line of trade reflect not only credit on their proprietors, but contribute materially to maintain the city's supremacy. Foremost among these stands the sterling house of John J. Carroll, which occupies the entire three floors and basement, 22 by 126 feet, located on the West Side of the Square. This standard emporium of fashion was established October, 1886, under the firm name Carroll and Company, and was composed of John J. Carroll, T. B. Carroll, W. M. Cooney and J. M. Caren.

To-day it is one of the largest and finest stores in Newark. The stock of goods carried comprises everything in the line of imported and domestic dry goods, including a wide range of dress fabrics, ladies' suitings, linens, domestics, cloaks, carpets, notions, and in fact everything to be found in a well appointed store of its kind and capacity.



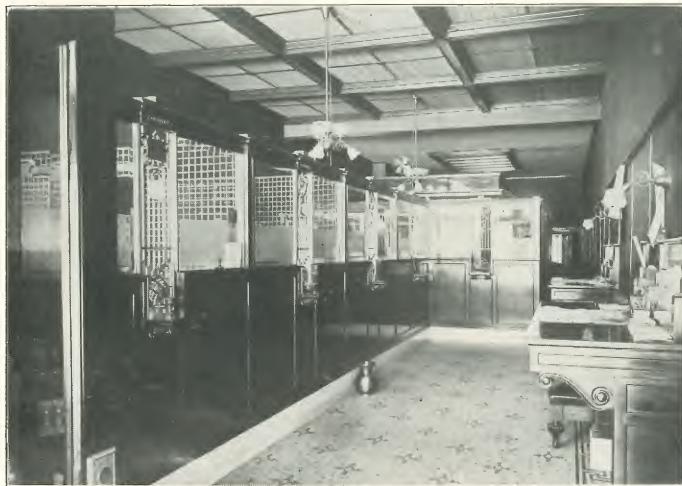
J. J. CARROLL'S STORE

In July, 1898, Mr. Carroll purchased the interests of the other members of the firm, and the store is now running under the name of J. J. Carroll, who employs forty-two people in waiting on customers and attending mail and phone orders. The store makes a specialty of the mail order trade, which extends all over the United States, this part of the business alone needing the care of several experienced persons in filling and receiving orders.

Mr. Carroll was born in Chillicothe, Ohio, November 14, 1860, and gained his early experience in the wholesale house of Green, Joyce & Company, of Columbus, coming to Newark in 1886 from the above concern.

He is one of the most solid and conservative business men of the city, and resides in a most artistic home in Hudson avenue, the most beautiful residence street in Newark.

His sound practical business education and experience has resulted in building up a wonderful trade which is a credit to him and a lasting benefit to the city. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus, and prominent in city affairs.



MAIN LOBBY.

THE LICKING COUNTY BANK CO.

The Licking County Bank Company was incorporated under the laws of the State of Ohio, and the bank established June 13, 1903, with a capital stock of \$165,000.

The officials and directors of the bank are as follows :

President, W. N. Fulton.

Vice President, E. T. Rugg.

Treasurer, J. K. Hamill.

Secretary and Cashier, E. W. Crayton.

The directors are, George D. Orr, Brownsville; W. N. Fulton, E. W. Crayton, E. T. Rugg, J. K. Hamill, J. R. Fitzgibbon, W. C. Miller, John Swisher and Wm. A. Veach.

Mr. W. N. Fulton, the president, is one of the best known and most reliable financial men in Licking county and has been identified with the banking interests of Newark for the past twenty-five years. He was one of the promoters of The Licking County Bank Co., and an institution with Mr. Fulton at its head cannot fail to inspire the confidence of the people.

Mr. Edward W. Crayton, the cashier, is one of the youngest men in the financial world of Newark. His executive ability, energy and push have brought success in every line of trade in which he has ventured.

A leading feature of the bank is its Savings Department, in charge of competent employees. By the system of branch banks, any one may start a deposit ranging from \$1 to \$100 at any time. This is proving a great assistance in securing patronage and helping people to become thrifty and saving. The bank officials believe that if they can induce people to start in a small way, they will grow into the habit of depositing all their savings with the bank.

The officers and stockholders of the bank are all well known business men of Newark and Licking county and enjoy the full confidence of the people. The business is steadily increasing and a bright future is predicted for the institution.



PRESIDENT AND CASHIER'S ROOM.



LADIES' REST ROOM.



DIRECTORS' ROOM.

MEAD'S STEAM LAUNDRY.

The future of Newark is bright with promise. One of its representative industries is the Mead Steam Laundry. This enterprise which is located at 14-16 East Church street, in the very heart of the business district was established several years ago under the name of the Troy Laundry, and later owned by Quinn and Perry, who disposed of their interests August 17, 1903 to Chas. L. Mead, who previous to coming to Newark

ploys fifteen persons, who are kept busy turning out the work which is brought to the laundry from all parts of Licking County, as well as an immense trade in the city.

Mr. Mead was born in Pataskala, Ohio, Oct. 19, 1858 and lived in that place until 18 years of age. Then at last he located in Marion Indiana and managed the Electric light plant for 7 years, where he was



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owned and managed the King Laundry at Marion, Indiana.

Soon after Mr. Mead took charge of the plant, it was enlarged by the addition of much needed new machinery which added to the capacity of the laundry.

The plant occupies the entire first floor at No. 14 and 16 East Church street, having a floor space of 60 by 90 feet and em-

known as one of the most substantial and influential business men of the city. His laundry in Marion, Indiana proved a great success, both from a financial standpoint as well as in the excellence of the work as finished, although Mr. Mead had to compete with several other laundries..

Mr. Mead is a member of several lodges, among them being the B. P. O. E., K. of P. and the Modern Woodmen of America.

G. L. & A. S. STEPHEN.

Newark prides herself on the number of fine stores in the various mercantile pursuits at which citizens of Newark and surrounding country can procure anything needed or wished for without going to a larger city. It has long been said that if you wanted anything out of the ordinary, you would have to go to Columbus for it, as the Newark stores could not furnish the assortment needed, but this is a thing of the past, as Newark now has some of the finest stores in this section of Ohio in which one can procure anything sold in any store in Columbus, and can enjoy as large a variety to select from as in any city in the State. Foremost among the business enterprises of Newark is the Department store of G. L. & A. S. Stephen, located at Nos. 1, 3, 5 North Fourth street, occupying two floors, each having a floor space of 60 by 62 feet. This emporium contains everything imaginable, which a buyer could wish, nothing escaping the notice of the owners as they purchase their stock, which is without doubt one of the most complete in Central Ohio.

This store was started in Newark on April 1st, 1893, one room being used for the entire stock. From this small beginning the management, by rare business tact and experience, gained from several years in this

line, increased their business to such an extent that now the entire space of the ground floor and basement is used for storing the immense stock the firm carries.

Each of the many departments are looked after by clerks experienced in these lines, eight assistants being required by Mr. Stephan in waiting on the large trade the concern enjoys.

Any article from a suit of clothes to a hair pin can be purchased in some of the many departments in the store, of the best quality and most substantial make, everything purchased for the trade being the best obtainable in every line.

Mr. A. S. Stephan, manager of the Newark store, was born in Washington county, Ohio, December 8, 1872, and has been very successful in business. He is a member of several lodges of this city, among them being the Knights

of Pythias, A. O. U. W. and the Knights of Security.

Mr. G. L. Stephan, the other member of the firm, is owner of the large Columbus store. He was born in Washington county, Ohio, March 10, 1851, and has been engaged in mercantile pursuits for many years.



G. L. & A. S. STEPHAN'S STORE.

SITES & KELLENBERGER.

The fame of Newark's flouring mills have reached to all parts of the country and large quantities of the product of the Newark Mills are shipped to various parts of this and adjoining states daily. Probably the leading manufacturers of flour and feed in the city are Sites & Kellenberger, whose extensive plant is located at No. 23 Front street.

This business was established many years ago by Messrs. Louden-

ern Ohio, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland, the sale of Sites & Kellenberger's "Best Flour" exceeding probably that of any similar brand made in Ohio.

The factory covers a floor space of 80 by 40 feet, is four stories in height and gives employment to eight persons.

Mr. Thomas H. Sites, the senior member of the firm, is one of the



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slager and McAdo, and several years later became known as the Loudenslager & Sites Flouring Mills. In June, 1890, Mr. Loudenslager, the senior member of the firm, retired from business, disposing of his interest to Mr. William Kellenberger, and the plant has been successfully managed by Sites & Kellenberger since that time.

The trade is not only local, but extends throughout all parts of East-

oldest residents of Newark, having been born in this city in March, 1834.

Mr. Kellenberger, also a native of Ohio, was born in Fairfield county, July 1st, 1847. Locating in Newark in 1872, he established the Kellenberger bakery, which he conducted successfully for many years, until purchasing an interest in the present concern.

FRANK M. SCHIMPF.

In recording any adequate account of the industries of Newark and Licking county and the progress made in the past decade, in commercial importance, it would be impossible to omit mentioning the old established grocery of Frank M. Schimpf, located at No. 320 Hudson avenue. No department of trade is entitled to more consideration than the general grocery and provision business, which in its vital relations to our home necessities contribute to the personal and physical health and happiness more than all other branches. The vitality of this branch of business finds here a representative in the grocery so ably conducted by Mr. Schimpf.

Mr. Schimpf employs six assistants and the stock carried comprises the best grades of staple and fancy groceries and provisions, country produce, salt, meats of all kinds and in fact everything to be found in a first class grocery. Mr. Schimpf is well known and favorably known in Newark and having been identified with this line of trade for so many years has secured a trade to be envied by others in the same line.



F. M. SCHIMPF RESIDENCE.



FRANK M. SCHIMPF.

This stand was established by Messrs. Schimpf and Stelzer in 1888, the junior member of the firm retiring on April 24th. 1893, and since that time Mr. Schimpf has successfully conducted the business himself.

He was born in this city, April 28, 1860 and for ten years prior to going into the grocery business worked at his trade as a molder, with the James E. Thomas company in East street. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus; A. O. U. W.; Independent Order of Foresters and the Board of Trade.

He is a selfmade man, and starting as he did in the business with but a small stock is certainly to be congratulated on his decided success.

HULSHIZER BROS.

Prominent among the mills of the country are those of Hulshizer Bros. who own and manage two of the largest and most successful institutions of the kind in Licking County. Ten years ago these gentlemen, J. R. Hulshizer and E. S. Hulshizer, built and opened the Granville Flour Mill with a daily capacity of 100 bbls. The plant contained all the latest improved machinery and enjoyed a good business from its inception. In Sept. 1903 these gentlemen purchased the old established Flouring Mills of David Thomas in Newark and are now operating both plants with a substantial increase in business. The Newark mill is located on the corner of the Ohio Canal and South Second street. It has four floors, 40 by 60 feet and has a capacity of 75 barrels per day. The machinery is all new and thoroughly up-to-date and in keeping with the progressiveness of the proprietors.



HULSHIZER BROS. GRANVILLE, O., MILL.



HULSHIZER BROS. NEWARK MILL.

A feed grinding and corn meal outfit is operated in connection with both plants.

Hulshizer Bros. are both thorough and experienced men and have made a great success with both plants. Their brands of flour, all of which are well known are the "Superlative, Best, White Seal and the Cream of Wheat."

Mr. J. R. Hulshizer was born in Gambier, Knox County, May 24, 1860, and with his brother has been in the flouring business all his life.

The junior member of the firm, Mr. E. S. Hulshizer, was born in Utica, Licking county in 1878.

These gentlemen have built up a fine trade among wholesalers as well as among the consumers and their brands of flour are known and used in almost every home in the county.

THE G. E. HOWELL PROVISION CO.

A history of Newark and its industries would be incomplete without an especial mention of the packing house known under the name of The George E. Howell Provision Co., buyers and shippers of cattle, hogs and sheep, dressed beef, mutton, pork etc., at wholesale.

This prominent industry occupies the site of the old paper mill plant in West Wilson street, which was entirely rebuilt for this use, the com-

plete plant occupying three acres of ground, admirably adapted for this particular purpose.

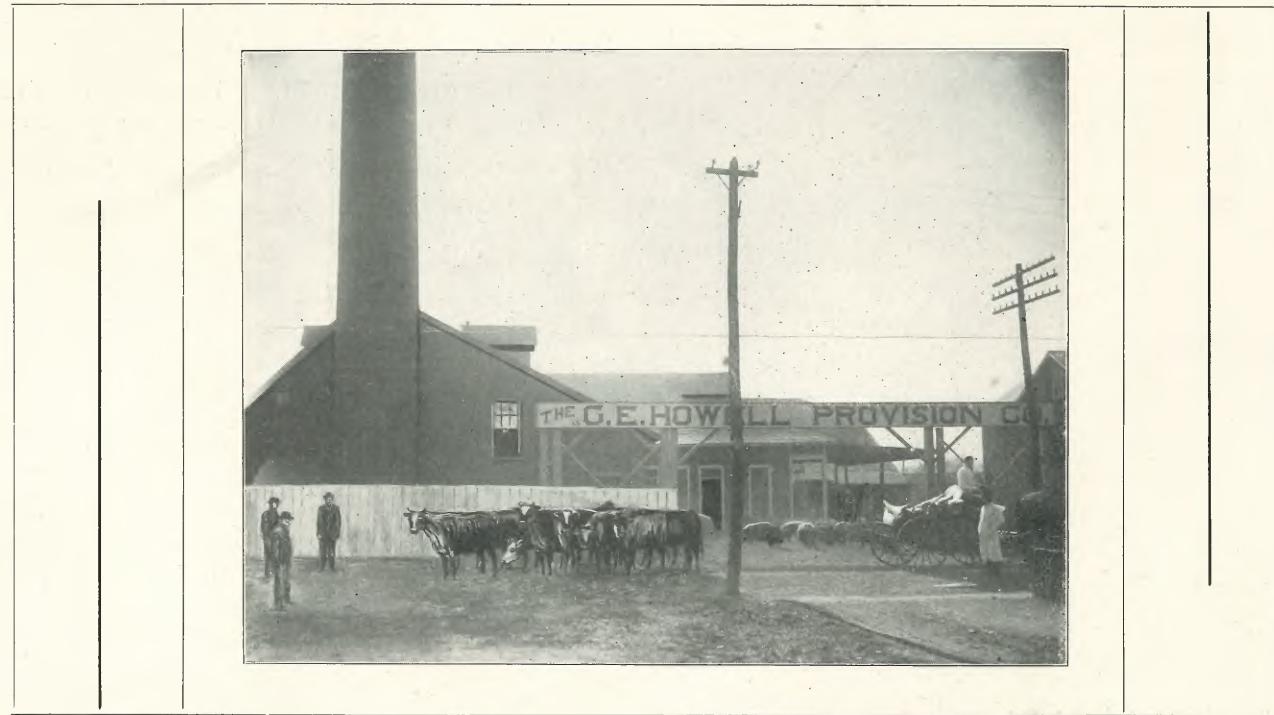
The company was organized and incorporated on April 20th, 1903, for \$50,000 with the following officers:

President and General Manager, G. E. Howell.

Vice President, H. W. Conger.

Secretary, J. J. Davis.

Treasurer, John M. Fleming.



VIEW OF THE G. E. HOWELL PROVISION CO. PLANT.

Mr. Howell is well qualified for the position of general manager, having been in this particular line since 1893, when he was in partnership with C. W. Miller, under the firm name of Miller & Howell. In 1903 this partnership was dissolved, Mr. Howell organizing the present concern, which has proven more successful than anticipated by the promoters in the short time it has been established.

Mr. Howell was born in Coshocton County, on October 4th, 1856, and has been in this line of business since 15 years of age.

He has shipped probably more head of hogs and cattle than any other man in this section of the State and is well known and liked among the shippers and dealers all over the United States. Capacity of the plant is 600 hogs, 100 cattle, 100 sheep and 100 veal per week.

TAYLOR'S PHARMACY.

The Taylor Pharmacy is located at No. 29 North Third street in the Doty House block, and is 100 feet deep with a width of 17 feet, and one of the best stands in Newark. A short time ago the interior was completely remodeled, and to-day the store presents a most metropolitan appearance.

New steel ceilings were placed in position, the walls papered and the woodwork painted in a beautiful mahogany, while the large show cases were arranged more satisfactorily and convenient, and as a result the "Taylor" Pharmacy is to-day a model of others, who have had less opportunity to learn the methods of conducting a drug store under city ideas and modes.



INTERIOR OF STORE.

Mr. Taylor makes a specialty of filling orders for drug specialties, besides having a large and continually growing mail order trade, and undoubtedly one of the largest business in prescriptions in the city.

The trade of the store has increased to a large extent in the past two years and is still growing.

Mr. Taylor is a native of Ohio, and was born at New Straitsville,

May 8, 1876. He has been a resident of Newark since 1898, and during that time worked for W. M. Stewart, Bricker Drug Store and R. M. Smith later purchasing the interest of Mr. Smith in the store he now, through his own efforts has been able to secure. Mr. Taylor is a self-made man, and has saved from his earnings the money with which to buy the fine store he now owns. He is a Mason, Eagle and a member of the W. J. O. U. and H. M.

THE MUNSON MUSIC COMPANY.

The advantages of musical culture and its adaption to our homes, needs and happiness are each year becoming more appreciated, and at the same time securing fuller recognition. Among those institutions whose facilities and management reflect credit upon this city, there are none more deserving than the old established musical supply house known as the Munson Music Company, located at No. 27 West Main street.

The Munson Music Company with large stores, in Zanesville, McConnellsburg, Cambridge and Newark, is incorporated in the sum of \$100,000; with officers as follows: President, Chas. Munson, Vice-president and General Manager, J. T. Miller, Secretary, E. A. Oldham, Treasurer, Jos. M. Brelsford, Assistant General Manager, E. W. Stockdale. This company makes a specialty of fine pianos and organs, and in addition handles all kinds of musical supplies, and small instruments known. The business was established in Zanesville, 1851, where the home office is located. This company handles the Knabe, Behr, Vose and Sons, Mehlin, Sterling, Blasius, being the oldest agents in the United States for the first named make. The business was established by H. D. Munson, Sr., and upon his death was placed in the hands of his son, H. D. Munson, Jr., who had it incorporated as above. J. T. Miller, general manager of the concern, has been with the Zanesville store for more than twenty years, while Mr. Stockdale, the manager of the Newark branch has been in the employ of the company for over fifteen years. He is one of the best sellers of pianos in the state, and alone disposed of over 100 instruments the past year. He has been interested in this line of business for the past eighteen years, and as a result knows it thoroughly. He spends three days each week in this city, looking after the company's extensive interests. He was born in Zanesville, Sept. 22nd., 1870. Mr. Stockdale is a member of the Knights of Pythias; A. O. U. W.; and Royal Arcanum.

O. S. GILBERT.

Education and the classics, literature and art, may have their places in intellectual development, but it remains for musical culture to supply a higher refinement and delight that can otherwise respond to the harmonies of nature. The piano and organ may have their legitimate places but who can limit or measure the tones and estimates of happiness touched by the notes of string and wind instruments.

Contributing to this department, Mr. O. S. Gilbert, located at No. 27 West Main street has had an experience of more than fourteen years in this particular line and

that he has been successful, the present extent of his patronage will attest.

Mr. Gilbert is thoroughly conversant with every part of his large business, having made a study of each branch of his business for many years.

He is a practical musician, having taught instrumental harmony for twenty-five years.



INTERIOR OF STORE OF ABOVE FIRMS.

line of trade.

Mr. Gilbert is a native of this city having been born on Sept. 23rd., 1849. He has been a resident of Licking County all his life and has been identified with the music business for many years, and is probably one of the best known music men in Central Ohio.



EXTERIOR OF BUILDING.

GEO. HERMANN.

The recognized leader in the ready to wear clothing trade in Newark is Geo. Hermann, who is familiarly known to nearly everybody in Newark and Licking County. His establishment illustrates the modern methods of conducting trade and is located at No. 5. West Side Square. The store occupies three floors, each 22 by 110 feet in dimensions. It is spacious, well lighted and the furnishings are of modern style.

The show windows are master-pieces of the window trimmer's craft, unique in design and arrangement and most pleasing to the eye. They depict the latest styles and fads in neat dressers the world over.

Geo. Hermann was born in Newark, July 2, 1872. His experience in this line covers a period of more than eighteen years. In 1902 he purchased the stock of Ed. Doe, who formerly conducted the business and has since made a wonderful record for business ability. His methods have been honorable, honest and just to all and his square dealing is now reaping its reward.

He believes in advertising and his newspaper adds sparkle with brightness and are eagerly read by buyers, who know that what they read in the daily press is true of this store and always govern themselves accordingly.

An innovation of Mr. Hermann's is the employment of an experienced tailor, who presses and keeps in repair suits and garments purchased from the store.

Mr. Hermann is a member of the Masons, Elks, K. of P. and the A. O. U. W.

HORNEY & EDMISTON.

Newark boasts of many fine mercantile houses in various lines of business and her citizens believe that she enjoys the honor of having the best equipped book store and wall paper house in Central Ohio. We refer to the old established stand of Horney & Edmiston, located at No. 9 North Third street, in the west side of the Square.

This book store and stationery house was established in 1853 by Wing & Son, who conducted the business for several years, afterwards disposing of their interests to Woodbridge & Baker. After several changes in the firm name, the stand was owned and managed by Hammond & Son, who sold to the present owners January 1st, 1892.

Seven people are constantly employed by this enterprising firm in the course of the business, all of the seven employees being artists in their respective lines.

The floor space, 22 by 137 feet, besides a basement and second floor, is almost entirely taken up with the stock, which is without doubt one of the most complete of the kind carried by any of the book stores in Central Ohio. Everything in the book and stationery line can be secured from the innumerable shelves which line the side-walls of the place. Wall paper and window shades of all kinds, prices and varieties are handled in large quantities. A specialty is made of the framing of pictures, this part of the business being one of the leading features.

The firm, consisting of E. L. Horney and T. M. Edmiston, own stores in Zanesville and Chillicothe, Mr. Edmiston being manager of the Newark store. Mr. Edmiston was born in Ross County, Ohio, April 7, 1859, and came to Newark in 1892, where he has since resided. He has a beautiful home in Hudson avenue, the handsomest residence thoroughfare in Newark. He is an active member of the Second Presbyterian church and the Newark Y. M. C. A, and is a member of one of the lodges of the Masonic order of Newark.

E. L. Horney was born in February, 1859, and is also a native of Ross County. He is a member of the Elks Lodge of his home town, Chillicothe, where he now resides, the Zanesville store being in charge of J. D. Edmiston, while Mr. Horney looks after the interest of the company in Chillicothe. The store in Chillicothe was established more than 25 years ago, and for many years has been known as the best book store in that section of the state.



T. M. EDMISTON.

CARNAL SISTERS.

Attractions in millinery to be found in this city are scarcely surpassed in our metropolitan centers, and among those establishments whose taste is displayed in the trimming department, and who have secured the patronage of many of the leading ladies of this city and surrounding country, we notice especially the establishment of the Carnal Sisters, which is located at No. 35 West Church street in the new Union Block.

The firm consists of three sisters, Misses Elizabeth, Etta and Claudine Carnal, and was established in March, 1899, the stock being removed to the present location in May, 1903, where they occupy a well lighted and neatly furnished room with a floor space of 20 by 60 feet. The Misses Carnal were born in Wellston, Ohio, and have made many friends and have built a fine trade in millinery.

Misses Elizabeth and Claudine Carnal are members of the local lodge of the Home Guards.



INTERIOR OF STORES.

CITY DRUG STORE.

No other nation so fully appreciates the value or makes such intelligent use of drugs and chemical preparations as the people of the United States nor any others who make a practice of using them so freely in alleviating the sufferings of humanity. This is probably because the march of education has been so rapid here that the ignorance and prejudice of other countries which causes other nations to discard these remedies, has been to a great extent displaced here by a refined and educated state of society, which permits the citizens of this Republic to understand scientifically the nature of the drugs which are the quickest and most effective means of curing disease and removing pain. In the prosecution of this branch of industry a thorough and practical knowledge of the business is essential to the owner's success. Among our active young business men whose enterprise and force have made an influence upon this trade in Newark is C. T. Bricker, proprietor of the City Drug Store, located on the corner of North Third and West Main streets. This store was established in 1874 by Bently & Miller, and after passing through several hands, was secured in 1898 by the present owner, who has been very successful in building up a large and satisfactory trade, which extends all through the county.

Mr. Bricker makes a specialty of prescriptions, fine drugs and toilet articles. He was born two miles east of Utica, Ohio, in February, 1872, and has been engaged in this line since 1893, graduating at the Ada College in 1896. He is a member of the A. O. U. W. and the K. of P., and is considered one of the most successful of the younger business men of Newark.

THE UNION MUSIC CO.

The Union Music Store, located in the new Union Block on West Church street, was established May 1st, 1903, and is enjoying a large and continuously increasing trade in pianos and organs, besides handling many specialties in these lines. The store, together with one in Mt. Vernon, is owned by L. C. Penn, the local establishment being managed by Mr. R. I. Francis, a successful Newark business man.

The store is located in the room occupied by the Carnal Millinery Company and occupies a floor space of 20 by 60 feet, all filled with beautiful and artistic specimens of the several brands of instruments handled by this concern. Mr. Francis has two assistants who receive visitors courteously and are always ready and willing to demonstrate the superiority of instruments to any who call.

The manager, Mr. Francis was with the Thomas Milling Company for ten years and later engaged in the music business for more than six years previous to taking the management of the Newark store. He was born in Hanover township, Licking county, November 17, 1860, and has always resided in the beautiful Licking Valley. He received a common school education in the county schools. Afterward graduated in a normal school and then took a commercial course in the Newark Business College.

Mr. Francis has been favored with success in his present stand and his many friends feel confident that the increasing trade of the store will continue in the future as in the past.



CITY DRUG STORE, (INTERIOR.)

HENRY O. NORRIS.

The rapid and almost unprecedented growth of Newark in the past decade has given much prominence to the lumber business. There are numerous individuals and corporations in the city engaged in the various branches of this important industry, employing in the aggregate an immense capital and a vast number of operatives. Some of these establishments are of large proportions and nearly all are supplied with every requirement for buying and handling lumber in its various forms. Prominent among the concerns in this line is the establishment of Henry O. Norris, located on the corner of North Fourth and West Locust streets. This business is one of large extent and of such complete arrangement that it acknowledges few equals and no superiors in this section of the state.

Mr. Norris, the proprietor, is a native of Maryland, having been born in Carroll county, that state, May 4, 1852. He has been a resident of Newark for the past 24 years. During the first ten he was connected with the First National Bank, holding a very responsible position with

county. He employs ten assistants in the various departments and utilizes five wagons for prompt delivery of goods to patrons in all parts of the city. The yards occupy more than 85,000 square feet of space and are well provided with buildings for protecting the valuable stock from the elements. Mr. Norris has always been interested in the advancement of Newark, and is connected with several of its leading enterprises being a director of the First National Bank and the Newark Ice and Cold Storage Company and has large real estate interests in the city.



OFFICE AND YARD NO. 1.

that institution. In 1889, with Mr. Chas. A. Smith, he purchased the interest of the J. S. Bradley Lumber Company, the new concern doing business under the name of Smith and Norris. January 1, 1901, Mr. Smith retired from the company, Mr. Norris purchasing his interests and assuming full control.

Mr. Norris carries all the best grades of lumber, dressed and undressed, shingles, lath, lime, plaster and cement and enjoys an enormous trade in Newark and Licking



VIEW OF YARD NO. 3.



OUTSIDE VIEW.

THE SAMPLE SHOE STORE.

Prominent among the leading business firms of Newark is the Sample Shoe Store, located at No. 9 South Third street, and the recognized uniform excellence of the large stock carried justifies more than a passing notice in a review of the leading business firms of the city.

This up-to-date store was established by the present owner, Mr. Henry Beckman, in the fall of 1893 and has proved a very successful venture from its inception. Three floors 20 by 100 feet and used for sales rooms and also for storage. Mr. Beckman employs five assistants, each of whom are experienced men in their line.

The immense stock contains the best makes of boots, shoes, rubbers, slippers, and etc., in great variety, the style and finish being the best and most satisfactorily procurable. The specialties being the well-known and popular Stacy Adams, Manso and Richard, and Brennan shoes for men, and Ultra and Donovan shoes for women.

Henry Beckman, owner and manager of the store, is a native of Ohio and was born in Cincinnati, August 21, 1858. He is a woodcarver by trade and served for eighteen years at his trade before embarking in the shoe business. He has been a resident of our city for the past ten years and enjoys the confidence and esteem of Newark citizens generally. He is a member of Acme Lodge No. 554 F. and A. M. of this city.



THE SAMPLE SHOE STORE. (INTERIOR.)

BESANCENEY & HENNEBERG.



INTERIOR OF STORE.

One of the more recent additions to the diversified commercial enterprises of our city, and one which cannot fail to make itself felt in the trade and win from the public its merited share of business is the furniture and house furnishing store of Besanceney and Henneberg, located at No. 16 East Park Place. Both these gentlemen have received a well merited recognition in the business world of Newark for their integrity and business ability. While they have but recently made this venture in Newark, having established the business in May, 1903, they have both been engaged in the furniture business for several years, the senior member of the firm having owned and managed a large furniture store in Piqua, previous to moving to Newark.

Their new lines of furniture with which they have stocked their large and commodious storeroom, contains all the latest and most elegant parlor and bedroom sets, sideboards, diningroom and kitchen furniture, carpets, mattings, stoves, dishes, lounges, and indeed everything in their line of which one can conceive. All their goods are from the foremost factories of the country, and cannot fail to please the most fastidious.

They are located in a fine room, 22 by 140 feet floor space, which is so arranged as to give the best possible display.

The senior member of the firm, G. E. Besanceney, was born in Piqua, O., October 1, 1876, and was manager of a store in that city for five years, previous to coming to Newark.

Mr. W. G. Henneberg has been a resident of Chicago, and was born in 1866. He is connected with the National Parlor Furniture Company and has been traveling for this company several years. Mr. Henneberg is a Mason, while his partner is a member of the Knights of Columbus.

BOWERS AND BRADLEY.

Bowers & Bradley, Newark's leading and most enterprising funeral directors are pre-eminently the possessors of all the qualifications required in their profession, and in addition are gentlemen of liberal education, training and wide experience. The business was established October 1, 1897, by the present owners, the present location being at No. 32 South Third street in a room 18 by 90 feet, entirely fitted throughout for this purpose. Both men had for a number of years previous to the establishment of the present business been prominently identified with the various business interests, but their inclinations tended towards the line of business in which they are now engaged and which they have made a complete success.

The senior member of the firm, Mr. George F. Bowers, was born in Gration, Licking county, April 18, 1855, and was formerly a member of the undertaking firm of John Bowers & Sons of that place, having been in this business since early childhood. He is a member of the Masonic, K. of P. and Elks lodges of Newark, the Fraternal Order of Eagles, as well as the Modern Wookman of America and Court of Honor.

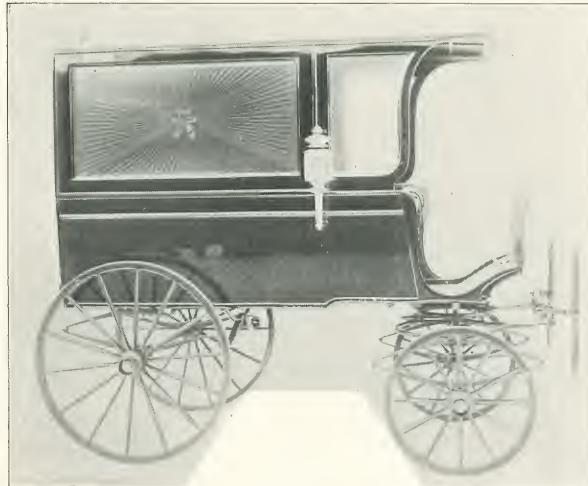
Mr. Lester H. Bradley was born in Lucas county, near Toledo, May 7, 1861, and for more than fourteen years was employed as embalmer for George Markley, a former undertaker of this city. He is a member of Acme Lodge, F. and A. M., the Eagles and K. of P. lodges, and also a high honored member of the Odd Fellows and the Macabees, both organizations of which have large membership in this city.

The firm has three funeral cars, a fine modern ambulance, casket wagon, pallbearers' coach, a coupe for ministers use, and several other wagons, making nine conveyances in all. They also have a private morgue for the reception of bodies, and a large reception room, which is used for funerals when necessary.



FUNERAL CAR.

J. A. McGONAGLE.



AMBULANCE.

James McGonagle, Funeral Director, opened for business in Newark, at No. 29 North Fourth street, in August 1895, and moved to his present excellent location, No. 63 West Main street, in April, 1900. He is a native of Ohio, and was born in Perry county, near New Lexington, September 6, 1866. Before coming to Newark he engaged in the same line of business in New Lexington for more than four years.

He has one of the most complete apartments for the transaction of his business, including fine show rooms for caskets and coffins, embalming and laying out rooms, with waiting rooms for friends and relatives who may call at the parlors.

Mr. McGonagle attends funerals in the city and surrounding territory taking full charge of arrangements, and Mrs McGonagle has charge of ladies and children and assists in embalming same, if this be the wish of relatives, thus removing from the family this sad and sometimes disagreeable duty. The embalming of bodies for preservation or shipment is promptly done, Mr. McGonagle having made this branch of his business an especial

study. He is one of the most progressive citizens in Newark, and numbers his friends by the hundreds.

Mr. McGonagle is a member of several of the leading lodge organizations and is a great worker in these societies. He has several beautiful cars, a fine ambulance, which is used to meet trains, carry wounded persons to the hospitals, etc., a new casket wagon and in fact everything that pertains to an up-to-date undertaking establishment in a city of this size.



W. A. LOVETT.

war in a New York regiment. He was ten years in the laundry and shirt manufacturing business before coming to Newark. Mr. Lovett is a member of Lemert Post, G. A. R. and the Royal Arcanum of Newark.



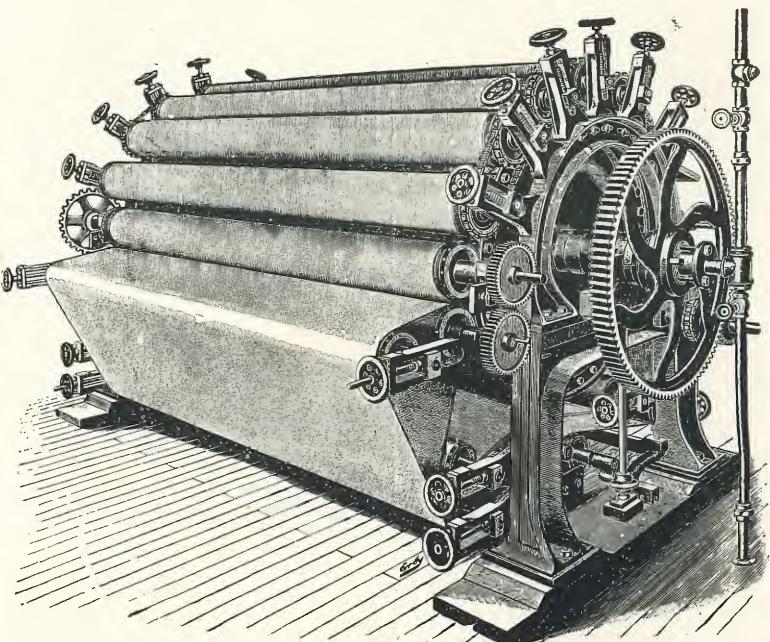
FUNERAL CAR.

NEWARK STEAM LAUNDRY.

Newark people are fortunate in the facilities afforded by such an enterprising institution as the Newark Steam Laundry, located on the corner of Fourth street and West Church street. It was established in October, 1884, by the present owner and manager, Mr. W. A. Lovett, who has since conducted the business to a most successful end, increasing the business many times over since the stand was established. The laundry has recently been augmented by the addition of several new machines and a new gas engine, which added greatly to this already up-to-date establishment.

The plant occupies a building 40 by 100 feet, and is equipped with all the latest machinery and modern appliances known to the laundry trade and contains the largest mangles of any steam laundry in the city. Employment is constantly given to 20 skilled and painstaking employees. Shirts, collars, cuffs, underwear, hosiery and family washings are washed and ironed in a superior manner; no acids, chemicals or machinery are used which tend in any way to injure or destroy the texture or color of the goods handled. For many years this establishment has sustained an enviable reputation, and has been duly recognized for its high-class workmanship. All goods are called for and delivered. The Newark Steam Laundry is perhaps of necessity the best known establishment in the city, for everybody at some time between the cradle and the grave has use for a laundry.

The proprietor, Mr. W. A. Lovett, was born in Mansfield, Ohio, October 30, 1837, and served during the civil





J. A. WINTERMUTE.

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Few cities of the size of Newark enjoy a greater fame in the various pursuits of mercantile trade than does this one, nearly each and every line have a number of representative concerns, which will most favorably compete with those of cities of a much larger growth. Prominent in this connection is Mr. J. A. Wintermute, the merchant tailor, located in a well appointed suite of rooms, in the new Lansing Block in North Park Place. Mr. Wintermute has been engaged in this line for many years and enjoys the distinction of being one of the best cutters in the state of Ohio. The premises occupied by Mr. Wintermute and his efficient corps of assistants are a suite of three rooms on the second floor of the Lansing Block, elegantly fitted and furnished, making them probably the finest establishment of the kind in Central Ohio.

Mr. Wintermute is prepared at all times to put up suits of any grade or style, having constantly on hand a full line of the best goods from both foreign and domestic looms, of all weights and colors to suit the season.

A speciality is made of high grade dress and business suits and at no establishment in Newark can a better suit be procured at a more reasonable price. Mr. Wintermute was born in Newark, July 6th. 1871 and is a graduate of several of the best cutting schools in the country. He is a member of the Acme Lodge, No. 554 F. and A. M. and enjoys the confidence and esteem of a large circle of friends.

G. A. BALL & SON.

The shoe firm of Ball & Son, located at No. 17 South Park Place is probably the best known house of the kind in the city of Newark. It has been established since 1890 being known under the name of Ball and Criswell. The change to the present management occurred on January 1st., 1898. Their store is pleasantly located with all the facilities for displaying the large stock and enjoys a fine trade, not only among the citizens of Newark, but also throughout the county.

Their stock includes everything in the boot and shoe line, known and worn by the best people, trunks of every variety, size and price, also a large stock and good assortment of hats and caps.

Not only in the completeness and excellence of stock but also in the uniform reliability of the class of goods here represented and the enterprising and liberal business policy which characterizes the transactions is this house entitled to the liberal patronage which it enjoys.

Mr. G. A. Ball Sr. was born in Newark in 1843, and was formerly with the firm of Ball & Ward, wagon and carriage builders, one of the foremost manufacturing establishments in the city. He is a veteran of the Civil War and a member of the Union Veteran Legion and is a member of the I. O. O. F. in this city.

Mr. Ball is a trustee of the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Building.

Mr. G. A. Ball, Jr., was born in Newark, May 25, 1875 and after graduating from the Newark High School assumed the active management of the concern in which he has been very successful.



G. A. BALL & SON. (INTERIOR.)

RUTLEDGE BROS.

Probably the most successful business venture which has been launched recently in Newark is the new clothing store of Rutledge Bros, located at No. 21 South Park Place, in the room which for so many years was occupied by George Markley furniture store.

The business was established April 1, 1903, under the firm name of "Rutledge Bros." The partners being Thomas V. Rutledge and James W. Rutledge, the former being manager of the store. Mr. T. V. Rutledge has been identified with the clothing business of Newark for more than twenty years. He is a thorough, competent man in every branch of the business and has a pleasing personality which is a sure winner in the business world. He, as well as his brother, were born on the farm in the South Eastern part of Licking County where their parents still reside on the old farm.

Mr. T. V. Rutledge is a prominent member of Newark Lodge, No. 13 K. of P., Licking Company, No. 121, U. R. K. P., Cedar Camp No. 4727 M. W. of A. and Licking Aerie No. 387 F. O. E.

Mr. James W. Rutledge, the other member of the firm, is the present County Recorder, and is serving his second term, having been elected the last time without opposition. He has proved one of the most efficient officers Licking County has ever had, and probably has as large acquaintance and as many friends as any man in the County. He is a prominent worker in the Masonic Lodges, the Newark Lodge of Elks, the K. of P. Lodges and is also an enthusiastic member of the Cedar Camp of Modern Woodmen.

By their energy and fair dealing they have built up a very satisfactory trade in the short time they have been in business. Everything in their store is new and up-to-date, the firm handling all the newest and latest styles in Men's Boy's and Children's Clothing and Furnishing goods.



JAMES W. RUTLEDGE.



THOMAS V. RUTLEDGE.



R. W. SMITH.

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Among our active young business men whose enterprise and force has much influence upon the trade conditions of our city and whose push and energy has succeeded in building up a fine trade in his particular line is Mr. R. W. Smith, druggist who has been located in Newark since May, 11, 1899, when he purchased the stock and fixtures of the present stand, located at No. 37 South Park place. The room occupied contains a floor space of 25 by 60 feet, well stocked with every thing known in the drug line, displayed in a most tasteful manner, the fixtures and furnishings of the establishment being up-to-date and modern in every respect. A large and commodious basement is used for storing the surplus stock, besides a stock room 10 by 40 feet which is carried constantly. The shelves are filled with a complete line of pure drugs and chemicals, all popular and desireable patent medicines, perfumeries, toilet articles and druggist's sundries in large varieties, pure wines and liquors, strictly for medical purposes, fine cigars, and gift novelties of all kinds.

The prescription department of this store is one of the most complete in Newark, both Mr. Smith and his able assistants, all of whom are registered druggists, being able and capable to compound any medicine in large or small quantities on the shortest notice.

Mr. Smith makes a speciality of Smith's Universal Cough Cure and Smith's Universal Poultry Powders, both compounds of which have a large sale.

R. W. Smith was born in Jasper County, Ind., Nov. 5th., 1863 and coming to Ohio engaged in business in Alexandria for twelve years, after which he owned a fine store in Washington, C. H., for two years, coming to Newark in 1889. He is a Mason, Elk and also a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. Since coming to this city Mr. Smith has made many friends and has succeeded in building up a fine drug trade, excelled by none in the city.



R. W. SMITH'S STORE.

ALLISON & WILLIAMS.



INTERIOR OF ALLISON & WILLIAMS.

So great an interest is now evinced by all classes of the American people in ornamentation of their homes, that fine furniture has become indispensable to those desirous of keeping pace with the progressive spirit of the age. From the amount of capital invested in this business those to whom it furnishes employment, either directly or indirectly, its manufacture and sale constitute an important factor of our industrial resources. One of the largest houses in Newark doing an exclusive retail business and carrying one of the finest stocks in the city is that of Allison & Williams located at No. 53 and 55 West Main street. This store was established in January, 1902 in one room and since that time has increased to the present large proportions, necessitating the employment of ten assistants.

Upholstering, picture framing and the manufacturing of fine, new furniture are specialities of the firm. Homes are furnished complete on the easy payment plan. Both Messrs. Allison and Williams were born and raised in Newark and are doubtless as well known as any business men in the city.

The business of the concern is one of the most successful and the largest in Newark and is constantly on the increase, and no doubt in a short time, this company will enjoy a more extensive business than any establishment of the kind in the city.

H. C. BOSTWICK.

One of the most reliable and the oldest established jewelry stores in the city of Newark, is that of H. C. Bostwick, located on the East Side of the Square, in the beautiful Hibbert and Schaus building.

Mr. Bostwick is a practical jeweler and thoroughly understands his business. He started in business in April, 1873. His store is most attractively fitted up with handsome wall and counter showcases filled with the finest jewelry, gold and silver watches, of which he makes a specialty. His stock of diamonds and other precious stones, set and unset, is a large one and just the one from which a good selection can easily be made. In cut glass he carries a complete line of the choicest patterns, toilet articles in gold and silver and other materials.

A specialty is made of repairing watches and clocks, and the testing of eyes and fitting of glasses in which Mr. Bostwick has few equals and no superiors.

The store is 20 by 55 feet and five persons are employed in repairing and manufacturing jewelry and looking after the large trade the store enjoys.

Mr. Bostwick was born in Knox county, Ohio, November 10, 1844, and has been in the jewelry business all his life. He served during the war of the Rebellion in an Ohio regiment, and is a leading member of the local post of the Grand Army. He is a Mason of high standing, being a member of St. Luke's Commandery of Newark, and several other Masonic bodies.



INTERIOR OF STORE.



HENRY SAYRE.

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Probably there is no part in the construction of a large or even small building which is of greater importance than its plumbing in all its various departments. It is a business that must be understood, and one of the most successful as well as experienced men in this particular line in Newark today is Henry Sayre, located at No. 49 Hudson avenue, in the Woodbridge block. The present business was established under the firm name of Sayre & Ashley in 1894, Mr. Sayre becoming the sole owner in 1898, when he purchased the interests of Mr. Ashley, the junior partner.

Since the inception of the concern it has proved very successful and has enjoyed probably the largest trade of any plumbing establishment in Newark. Thirty experienced and thoroughly capable assistants are employed in attending calls for plumbing; Mr. Sayre's patronage being among the best class in the city.

The proprietor of the business, Mr. Henry Sayre was born in Orange, New York, January 5, 1845, and prior to learning the plumbing trade worked as a machinist for more than twenty-five years. He has risen from an ordinary workman to the present high position among the influential business men of Newark by his own efforts and is to be congratulated on his remarkable success.

CHARLES HEMPSTED.

In no trade or profession is there required a nicer perception of the properties, a finer artistic training, or a more accurate knowledge of the laws of perspective in light or shade, than in photography; and the tendency of an occupation of this nature is to develop in the artist the most critical and analytical distinction of lights and shades. These reflections are the result of a brief consideration of the good work exhibited by an artist and photographer, displayed by Mr. Charles Hempsted, whose art emporium, is located at No. 36½ West Main street, occupying nearly the entire third floor of the building.

Mr. Hempsted was born in Schularie county, New York, July 9, 1832, and has been in this business since 1851. He opened a gallery in Pallasade Row, Newark, on November 4, 1854, and has been in his present location since July, 1895.

He is a member and officer in Newark Lodge of Elks, and is also identified with the Royal Arcanum.



CHARLES HEMPSTED.

A. N. BANTON.

Newark is certainly very fortunate in having in her bounds probably the very best class of artisans in every known branch of trade to be found anywhere and in no profession or trade is this fact more widely or clearly shown than in the electrical line. Mr. A. N. Banton, whose establishment is located at No. 49 Hudson avenue, is recognized in all parts of the State of Ohio as one of the most expert men in this important line of trade.

Starting in business in Newark in the spring of 1890, after working at this trade since 1884, he soon established a prosperous business which has grown to enormous proportions, it now being necessary to employ seven assistants, whereas when first starting he was able to take care of all the business alone. A specialty is now made of setting private plants.

Mr. Banton is a native of England, and was born in Wilver, Hampton, England, February 4th, 1849. Coming to America in 1857, he worked at his trade of a machinist for 23 years, taking up the electrical business as an especial study in 1884.

He was elected to City Council in 1901, and served in that body for two years, and was also chairman of light committee during the same period. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias, Modern Woodmen and the American Protective Union.



A. N. BANTON.

J. ROLLIN SOOK, M. D.

With the many other large advances which have been made in the various trades and professions in the past decade, medicine and surgery has not been behind in advancing. In medicine and surgery is this fact easily seen, as each department of the profession now has its specialists. Prominent among the specialists in Newark is Dr. J. Rollin Sook, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, with offices at No. 10 West Locust street.

Fine offices, 30 by 40 feet, especially furnished with a view to treating the patients properly are used.

Dr. Sook was born in Steubenville, O., May 12th, 1866, and after studying medicine for several years under Dr. O. P. Sook of this city, went to school in Cleveland, in 1887, and later to New York in 1891, finishing his course at Chicago in 1899. He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of this city, and enjoys probably the largest practice in his line of any one in the county.

W. G. CORNE.



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In February 1902, Dr. W. G. Corne, the subject of this sketch came to Newark from Circleville, where for several years, previous he had been practicing dentistry in partnership with his brother, Dr. G. S. Corne, locating his office at No. 79 Hudson avenue.

The doctor who came to Newark an utter stranger, has a pleasing personality and has made a host of friends, securing patients from every walk of life, all of whom recommend his superior work.

He was born in Waverly, Ohio, Oct. 5th., 1870, and in 1891 after graduating from the Kentucky University at Lexington, taught in the commercial department of the University for three years and a half. In 1897 he graduated from the Louisville College of Dentistry, after completing a three year course, under some of the most thorough professors in the country, being one of the honor graduates in his class.

Dr. Corne, while making a speciality of crown and bridge work, does all kinds of dental work, in the best manner with as little pain as is consistent with good work.

He is a member of the Acme Lodge, F. and A. M., Cedar Camp, Modern Woodmen and the Knights of Pythias.

THE NEWARK STEAM DYE & CLEANING WORKS.

The Newark Steam Dye and Cleaning Works was established in 1870 by N. S. Wolverton and it has since been one of the leading industries of Newark. In 1896 Mr. Joe H. Green, the present owner took charge upon the death of the founder of the business and has since conducted the business to a most successful issue. Four persons are employed in the works and all the latest appliances and the most modern methods are in use. This concern does an immense business in French dry cleaning, dyeing and scouring of ladies' and men's clothing. A speciality is made of dry cleaning and the results obtained cannot be duplicated in Newark or Columbus. The finest laces, the daintiest embroidery, the most delicate fabrics in colors handled in the most careful manner and a guarantee is given that they will not be injured in the slightest manner. Only the highest quality of work is done and perfect satisfaction is guaranteed. Mr. Green is widely known and a popular figure in the business world of Newark, he has had a life long experience in his chosen profession. He is practical, up-to-date and progressive and the success which he has won is due to his sterling honesty, clear-sighted methods and strict adherence to his rule of giving his customers the best possible service at the most reasonable price.

Mr. Green was born in Ironton, Ohio, March 10, 1877 and came to Newark with his parents when only one year of age. Until 1896, when he took charge of the Dye Works, he served for several years under the former well known tailor, Mr. Earnest Hamilton, of Columbus, who when a resident of Newark was considered one of the best and most careful men in the tailor trade of this city. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias.



JOE. H. GREEN.

EARL COLLINS & CO.



EARL COLLINS.

Jewelry is a term which takes its rise from the ancients, who were the custodians of the jewels of prominent persons and this subsequently extended to the precious metals and useful and ornamental articles composed wholly or in part of gold or silver. It has been left to modern times to give breadth and scope to this branch of art and trade, until now it includes the skilled workmen in precious metals and in the mechanical operation of watches and clocks as well as the useful and ornamental articles in jewelry, silver plate and other wares.

As the leading jeweler and most thoroughly experienced optician of our city, we gladly refer to Earl Collins & Co., located at 7 North Third street. This well known and prosperous business was established at 39 North Third street in the new Y. M. C. A. building in April, 1899, by Earl Collins, removing in 1904 to the present excellent location. The rooms now occupied have a floor space of 20 by 65 feet, well stocked with the finest specimens of the jeweler's art, the assortment of watches, clocks and silver goods carried being probably the largest and most complete in Newark. Diamonds, precious stones, cut glass and hand painted china in large variety are kept constantly on hand. Mr. Collins is an expert in lapidary and his judgment of diamonds and other precious stones is taken by the best buyers in Newark.

Mr. Collins is thoroughly experienced in the various departments of his business, having been engaged in this line for more than fifteen years. He is also a graduate optician and attends to this part of his large trade personally.

He is a member of Acme Lodge 554 F. & A. M. and Warren Chapter No. 6, R. A. M.

W. G. RUSSELL.

As a source of pleasure and satisfaction to humanity, there is no science or art claiming precedence to that of photography and among the accessions to this department, we notice more particularly the well equipped gallery of W. G. Russell, located at No. 14½ East Side Square. Mr. Russell's apartments occupy five large and commodious rooms, using one floor. Mr. Russell, who is a skilled artist of many years experience, has already demonstrated to the best class of trade in the city his ability to produce the finest work in all the various departments of his line, work that will bear close inspection and comparison with the best artists in the country. A visit to his reception rooms will show a large exhibit of the fine work turned out, which displays a superb skill in pose, that fine life-like appearance, and the delicacy of touch that is alone in the artist's touch, which challenges the admiration of the critic. Persons desiring photographs of any style or size, or portraits in crayon, india ink, or pastel, are invited to give Mr. Russell a call.

Mr. Russell is a native of Ohio and has been a resident of this city for the past five years and previous to this time was engaged in the same line of trade for more than twenty years. He is a Mason, Odd Fellow and Modern Woodman.



W. G. RUSSELL.



C. C. GUY.

GUY & McGONAGLE.

One of the latest and most successful business enterprises of Newark and one which in the few short months of its existance has made many friends and built up a large business is the monument firm of Guy & McGonagle, located in the Avalon building, in West Main street near 5th.

The firm which handles monuments, tombs and tablets of all varieties, imported and domestic, has a large well lighted room and occupy a floor space of 20 by 50 feet in dimensions, the entire room being used for their stock, which is probably the most complete of any concern of the kind in this section of the state.

Mr. Guy is a native of Perry County, Ohio and was born July 10, 1858. He secured his education in the schools of that county and is a selfmade man. He has served his county well, being auditor of Perry County for six years, and since being a resident of Newark has made many friends. He is a Mason, K. of P. and Odd Fellow.

Mr. McGonagle is also a product of the same county, where he was born April 1st 1878. He has resided in our city since 1898, where he has been assistant to his brother James McGonagle, the undertaker. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus: A. O. U. W.; D. of H., and the Modern Woodmen of America. Mr. McGonagle has taken a full course in embalming, and has successfully passed the Ohio State Board of Embalmers September 22, 1902.



R. E. McGONAGLE



CORNER OF RECEPTION ROOM.

A. V. DAVIS.

The advantages which dental surgery have vouchsafed to mankind will bear comparison with the attempts of science or art in any department of business or manufacturing pursuits. The advancements made since its introduction into the United States by a French soldier during the Revolutionary war, have given to American ingenuity and skill a world wide fame. Among those whose accomplishments and skill as a dental surgeon and operator have added much to the reputation of Newark, we notice Dr. A. V. Davis, located at No. 16½ North Park Place. Dr. Davis established his office at No. 33½ West Main Street 1898 and in April, 1902 removed to his present location, where he has several well lighted and neatly furnished rooms, which were remodeled and arranged expressly for this particular line. Since coming to Newark the doctor has made many friends and has built up a fine practice among a good class of patients and enjoys the esteem and regard of all Newark citizens.

Mr. Davis was born in Washington, Pa. and is a graduate of the Pennsylvania Dental College, of Philadelphia, Penna.



OPERATING ROOM.

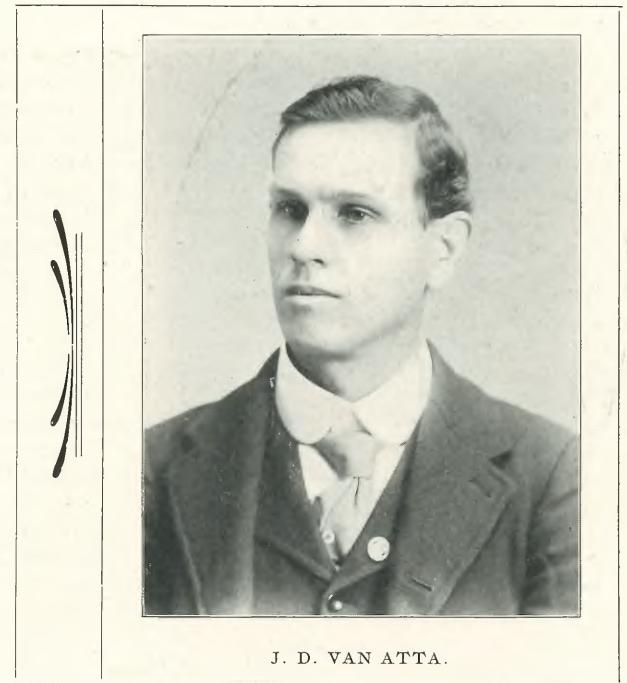
J. D. VAN ATTA.

Among the best known dealers in pianos and organs and small musical instruments is the well known house of J. D. Van Atta, located at No. 29 South Third street. Mr. Van Atta has a very complete stock, and among the best known brands of pianos handled are noticed, the Baldwin, Ellington, Hamilton, Valley Gem and Howard, all of which are noted for their fine tone and finish.

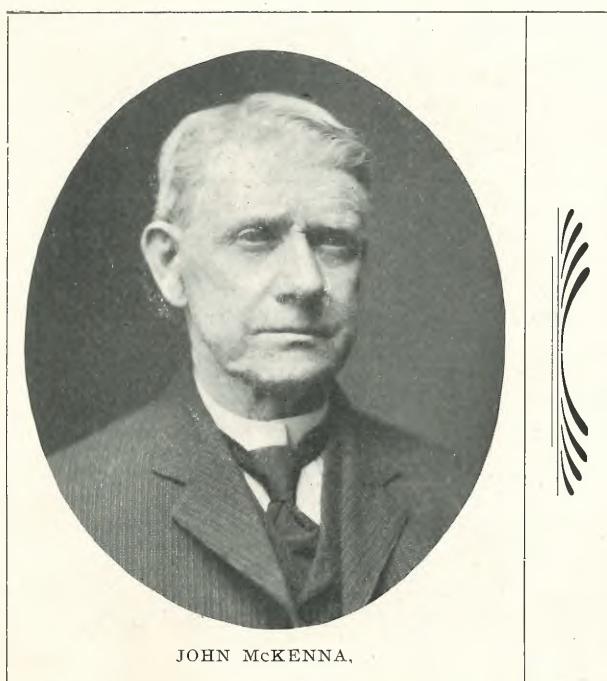
Especial mention is made of the Baldwin piano, which is of world wide reputation, it having taken the grand Prize at the Paris Exposition in 1900, being the only American instrument, out of numberless competitors, which has ever carried off such honors.

Mr. Van Atta is well known in Newark and vicinity, where he has resided all his life, having been born in this city on March 21st, 1870. For several years previous to engaging in the musical line, he very successfully conducted an optical store at No. 21 South Park Place.

He is a prominent member of the Knights of the Maccabees and the Eagles and enjoys a large circle of friends and acquaintances and has built up a fine business, due entirely to his pleasing manner and excellent business tact.



J. D. VAN ATTA.



JOHN MCKENNA.

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In the city of Newark one of the leading grocery stores is that owned and managed by John McKenna. In April, 1867, this store was established by the present owner, who certainly has made a great success of the business. He is a specimen of Newark's self made men and came here with only enough money to pay his railroad fare.

The line of goods is first-class. The store makes a specialty of the choicest coffees, teas and the purest and best dairy products that can be secured.

The grocery is located at Nos. 29 and 31 South Second street in a fine building owned by Mr. McKenna, covering a floor space of 41 by 60 feet. Five clerks are employed looking after the immense trade and taking orders.

An up-to-date cafe, well stocked with the best brands of liquors, is run in connection with the grocery, this part of the business being under the sole management of a thoroughly experienced man in this line.

Mr. McKenna was born in the province of Ulster, County of Tyrone, Ireland, August, 1833, and came to America in 1854, having just money enough to see him to New York. For some time he worked on a railroad and later came to Newark, opening a small store which gradually grew until the present grocery was the result of his thrift and business qualities.

He is one of the oldest grocers in Newark, is wide awake, up-to-date, progressive and public spirited and one of the most respected Irish-American citizens of the city. He is an honored member of the Ancient order of Hibernians, which have a very strong lodge in Newark.



MILLS BICYCLE AND AUTOMOBILE STORE. (INTERIOR.)

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The bicycle and automobile business has become one of the leading industries in the United States in the past few years and with the increase in favor of these machines, establishments devoted entirely to the sale and repair of these articles have been opened in all the cities and towns throughout the country. Probably the pioneer establishment of the kind in Newark and doubtless in this section of the state is the well known stand of James Mills, operated under the name of the Mills Bicycle and Automobile Store, which is located at No. 53 North Third Street. Here the best known and most substantial makes of automobiles and bicycles are kept in stock; also a complete line of bicycle and auto sundries and parts.

The Newark store was opened in January, 1896, at Nos. 14-16 East Church street, and in September, 1899, moved to the present excellent location, the former quarters becoming too small for the needs of the business.

Mr. James Mills is a native of England, where he was born in January, 1865. For many years he has been a resident of the United States and previous to establishing the present store, was for several years employed in the machinery department of the B. & O. R. R. He is a member of the K. of P., D. O. K. K., M. W. of A. and the Eagles, being secretary of the latter lodge. Mr. Mills has made a great success in business and is recognized as being one of the leading citizens of Newark.

HAYNES BROS.

When it is stated as a fact susceptible of demonstration that the value of articles embraced in the comprehensive classification of "jewelry,"—including gold and silver plate—exceeds by more than fifty per cent., that of all coin in use by the nations of the earth it will be seen that the manufacture and sale of these useful and ornamental articles becomes in a financial way one of the most important of our industrial and commercial avocations. The influence of the jewelry trade is an important feature in the commercial interests of this city. As those establishments devoted to the sale of these articles of utility undoubtedly claim precedence, appealing as they do to the refined tastes and asthetic instincts of the community, a very neat and artistic store of this kind is that of Haynes Brothers, located at No. 18 North Park Place. Both William I. Haynes and his brother James T. Haynes are natives of Newark, and are both self made men, starting in business in a small way and gradually increasing until the present beautiful store with its accompanying large trade is the result.

Haynes Brothers are graduate opticians, and many persons, residents of Newark and vicinity, would willingly give testimony of their success in fitting glasses to their eyes, if called upon.

Both the young men are also enthusiastic photographers, and many superb specimens of their handiwork can be seen at their store. This establishment probably holds the record for the number of Kodaks sold in Newark, they being the leading agents for this superior camera, used almost exclusively by amateurs the world over.

The store employs seven clerks and is one of the most beautiful and neatly furnished stands in the city.

Mr. Will Haynes was born in Newark, April 8th, 1872, his brother James first seeing the light of day in this city on November 12, 1873. Both men have been in this line all their lives and thoroughly know every detail of the business.



HAYNES BROS' STORE (INTERIOR.)



HOTEL SEILER.

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Of the numerous hotels in Newark which have given the city a name and fame with the traveling public, is the New Hotel Seiler, of which Mr. Albert Seiler is owner and proprietor.

This holstery is one of the oldest established hotels in the city, although now occupying a fine, new up-to-date building, built expressly for this purpose, on the site of the Old Germania, which was for many years known to the traveling public as well as the older residents of the city.

It is a fine three story pressed brick structure 68 by 80 feet, located on the southeast corner of South Second and Franklin streets, half way between the Pan-Handle and the B. and O. depots.

The building contains fifty rooms, each lighted with natural gas and electric lights, with gas and steam heat. Fine, well appointed bath rooms with hot and cold water are located convenient to the rooms on each floor.

The office is large and elegantly furnished. The dining room handsome and perfect in every detail and the table, the best the country affords. A splendid bar, completely stocked with the finest liquors and choicest brands of cigars, is a mecca for those who enjoy a good drink. Mr. A. Seiler is one of the oldest hotel men in Newark, and one of the best known and most popular in the country.

He is noted for his attention and courtesy to guests, and has added much toward making the hotel homelike and enjoyable to visitors. The Hotel Seiler is strictly first-class and up-to-date in every particular, and is one of the handsomest buildings in Newark.

Mr. Albert Seiler was born in Prenzlau, Prussia, Sept. 17, 1852, and came to the United States in 1867, working at the Remington Gun Works in Ilion, N. Y. Leaving his position he came to Newark and has owned and run a hotel on the present corner for more than twenty-six years.

He is one of the best known German citizens of Newark and few are there that have not known him or enjoyed his hospitality. Mr. Seiler is a member of the Masonic and K. of P. lodges.

FRANK MYLIUS.

Frank Mylius, after fifteen years thorough drill in the rudiments of carpet cleaning in Zanesville, where he was associated with his father, a pioneer in this line of trade, came to Newark in 1901 and purchased the carpet cleaning establishment on Moull street, succeeding J. W. Evans, who was obliged to dispose of the business and go south for his health.

Mr. Mylius soon after his arrival purchased a large amount of new machinery and the plant which occupies a building built especially for the work, size 50 by 65feet, is thoroughly equipped for cleaning carpets, rugs, renovating feathers and doing all kinds of upholstering.

Carpets are called for, taken from the floors, and returned, thoroughly cleaned and laid at a cost far below the amount necessary to have help call at the house, do the work and relay them, with the customary inconvenience of having the work done at home, avoided.

This is certainly a great saving in labor and trouble over the old way, and the efforts of Mr. Mylius to secure for Newark an up-to-date plant with the latest improved machinery has been commended by the people, who readily availed themselves of the opportunity to secure his services for the best results in this line.

Mr. Mylius was born in Zanesville, November 10, 1871, and after graduating at the Zanesville Business College entered the business with his father, where he received his early training and experience in the various methods of carpet cleaning and renovating. At the age of eighteen he took charge of the business, conducting it with successful results until 1901, when learning of the opening in Newark, came to this city, where he was more than successful.

He is a prominent member of Cedar Camp Modern Woodman, and has a host of friends, who cheerfully recommend his services, as being the best and most thoroughly modern in every respect.



VIEW OF WORKS.



CHASE & COMPANY.

Few departments of science or art have contributed more enduring pleasure to mankind than are now recognized under the general name of photography. As a source of pleasure and satisfaction to the different classes of humanity there is no science or art claiming more attention than that of photography. As one of the leading accessions to this department of business, the wellknown gallery of Chase & Co., located at No. 19 South 3rd. street claims precedence over all other galleries in the city. This business was established in November 1865 by Messrs. Sayre and Chase. Two years later, Mr. G. W. Chase purchased the interest of his partner, and continued the business until 1890 when Mr. F. A. Chase, became the junior member of the firm, the business thereafter being conducted under the name of Chase and Company.

The concern occupies the entire third floor of the building at No. 19 with a floor space of 45 by 45 feet, filled with all kinds of backgrounds, and other accessories necessary in making the business successful from an artistic as well as a financial standpoint.

The firm makes a specialty of fine art photos, carbons and view pictures, having a special camera made expressly for this line of work.

Captain George W. Chase, the senior member of the firm is a native of New York and was born in Oswego, March 1840 and has resided in Newark since 1865, after his return from the Civil war, in which he fought with much valor for his country. He is an enthusiastic member of the Grand Army of the Republic, and has held offices in the organization in Newark for many years. Mr. Chase served in the 1st Ohio Volunteer Infantry and in the 11th Sharpshooters. Mr. Chase has large financial interests here, and is a director of the Home Building and Loan Association.

The junior member of the firm Mr. Frank A. Chase, was born in Zanesville, O., Aug. 1st, 1864, but was raised and spent most of his life in this city. He is a member of the Royal Aracum lodge.

Chase and Company also own and operate a firstclass gallery in Thornville, Ohio.

D. A. REDMAN.

This popular and wellknown grocery house was established in the fall of 1896 under the name of D. A. Redman and Company. Mr. Redman purchased the other interests in 1901 and is now sole owner and manager of the business, which is to-day one of the most successful in the East end and perhaps in Newark. The stand is located at No. 226 East Main street and has a floor space of 20 by 80 feet in dimensions, with a large basement for storage. Five clerks and assistants are employed in looking after the large trade enjoyed, three wagons being necessary to deliver the orders received each day.

The stock contains a full and complete line of staple and fancy groceries, Mr. Redman making a specialty of the finest coffees, teas and spices, besides handling all produce in season.

The honest and straight forward business methods of the management of this wellknown house has won many warm friends for it, and it now enjoys a large and growing trade throughout the city.

The owner Mr. D. A. Redman, was born in Licking County, Ohio, Dec. 15th 1858 and from 1883 until 1889 was operator and agent for the B. & O. railroad at Black Hand, one of the most picturesque places in the state, which was at that time the mecca for camping parties. For seven years after leaving the employ of the railroad company he was with the general store of E. Hickey, where by thrift he saved enough money to go into his present business, which he has so successfully conducted.

He is a charter member of Cedar Camp No. 4727 Modern Woodmen of America and also is a member of the Grand Fraternity.



D. A. REDMAN.



INTERIOR OF DINING ROOM.

KUSTER & COMPANY.

The fame of the restaurant and cafe, which for years has been the leading eating house in Newark and is known as the Kuster Restaurant, run and managed under the firm name of Kuster and Co., has extended to all sections of Ohio.

The business which is located at Nos. 26-28-30 North Park Place has been established many years and enjoys the good will and patronage of more people in Newark and Licking County than all the other restaurants in the city combined.

The Kuster Company is composed of Jos. Kuster Sr., J. W. Hohl and Mrs. Ida Lawlor, the latter being the business manager and to her excellent business qualities and foresight the trade has increased greatly in the past few years. Mrs. Ida T. Lawlor gives all her time to the many little details which help to make a large establishment of this kind a success and that her efforts have borne fruit is evinced by the large patronage enjoyed.

The renowned dinners given each month by the Beech Island club, which is famed for its hospitality and fine spreads is the work of Mr. Jos. Kuster who always superintends the preparation of the different meats and trimmings for these affairs, giving them the same attention he does with each meal as it is prepared at the restaurant every day in the year.

The establishment occupies an entire building, two stories in height, containing large and well appointed banquet rooms, ladies' and gent's dining rooms and lunch counters, all of which enjoy the best service obtainable. Mr. Joseph Kuster, Sr., by whom the business was established is a native of Germany, where he was born in 1837. He has been a resident of Newark for many years and is considered one of the most substantial business men of the city. He is an honored member of the Knights of Pythias.

THE HURBOUGH TRANSFER COMPANY.

The Hurbough Transfer Company, established in 1898 is one of the leading transfer and storage lines in the city. The firm is doing an enormous business, which has grown from a small begining, when one wagon was used, to the present large proportions, twenty wagons of various kinds and sizes now being necessary to look after the entire trade successfully.

The stables and storage warehouses of the company are conveniently located at No. 54-56-58 South 3rd. street and occupy buildings 60 by 200 feet in dimensions. Ten persons are employed in attending the many calls received daily and operating the large moving vans of the company, which are the largest ever seen in Newark.

Mr. R. Hurbough, the senior member of the firm was born in Newark on June 16th 1851 and has resided here his entire life. The junior member of the company, Mr. Frank H. Hurbough, is also a native of Newark.



VIEW OF BARNs.



ONE OF THE CARNATION HOUSES.

He is a member of the Modern Woodmen of America, the Tribe of Ben Hur and the Newark Board of Trade and numbers among his friends and acquaintances the representative citizens of Newark.

A. J. BALDWIN.

Flowers from time immemorial have been an expression of remembrance, whether the occasion be one of festivity or sorrow a token of sentiment on the alter of friendship. The leading florist in Newark is Mr. A. J. Baldwin, whose conservatories, greenhouses and office are located at No. 285 Cedar street, opposite Cedar Hill Cemetery.

The enterprise was established in 1895 on East Main street and removed to the present location in 1900, by Mr. Baldwin, who is an experienced horticulturist. He is also conversant with the botanic knowledge which is so necessary in the classification of flowers and their cultivation, and it is to these sources as well as his natural adaption and practical knowledge that he owes his success in business. From a modest beginning his business has enlarged until his permanent customers are now numbered among the most prominent people of Newark, he supplying a large wholesale as well as retail trade. Eight greenhouses 20 by 100 feet in dimensions all built especially for this business, large, airy and roomy contain a multitude of beautiful and fragrant cut flowers of every description.

He makes a speciality of decorating ball rooms, churches and private residences and furnishes emblems for weddings, funerals and memorial services.

The Tribe of Ben Hur and the Newark Board of Trade and numbers among his friends and acquaintances the representative citizens of Newark.



OFFICE AND GREENHOUSES.



CORNER OF RECEPTION ROOM.

steaming, hair coloring, trimming and fine manicuring are given patrons.

Mme. Stewart came to Newark from Philadelphia in 1896, opening a large millinery store in the East End. Disposing of this establishment in 1901 she returned to Philadelphia and visited New York, where she took special courses with the best Dermatologist and also with French Hair and Scalp Specialists, making a special study of the treatments mentioned above. This unique establishment is proving most successful and the interest shown by the better classes of persons in the city is very pleasing to Mme. Stewart and her co-workers.

THE PARISIAN PARLORS.

The Parisian Parlors, operated and managed by Mme. Virginia E. Stewart, the well known complexion specialist and manicurer are located at No. 16½ North Park Place. The manager, Mme. Stewart is probably one of the most renowned persons in her particular line of business in the entire States and since coming to Newark in June 1903 has secured a large patronage among the best class of people in the city.

A suite of three, rooms, arranged expressly for this purpose, with beautiful and artistic furniture is occupied by Mme. Stewart and her corps of able assistants. The specialities of this establishment are fine and up-to-date millinery and hair goods and in addition all known treatments consisting of facial massage, shampooing, hair dressing, face



COR. HAIR DRESSING AND MASSAGE DEPARTMENT.

THE NEWARK NATURAL GAS AND FUEL CO.

The problem of heat, light and power at a minimum cost to the user, and in practically unlimited quantities, is one that has long been solved by and for the citizens of Newark. Surrounded as she is by hundreds of acres of gas land, with many wells pouring their wealth of natural gas from inexhaustible storehouses in the mother earth, there is no dearth of heat or light giving gas. The Newark Natural Gas and Fuel Company which was organized in 1889 by a number of prominent Newark citizens, is the pioneer in the gas business in this city. Several years since, the local company was succeeded by the gas company controlling the output of nearly every well in the state of Ohio, all of which, in the Sugar Grove and the Homer Field have direct connection with the Newark plant, thus giving to Newark consumers the benefit of an almost inexhaustable supply of gas.

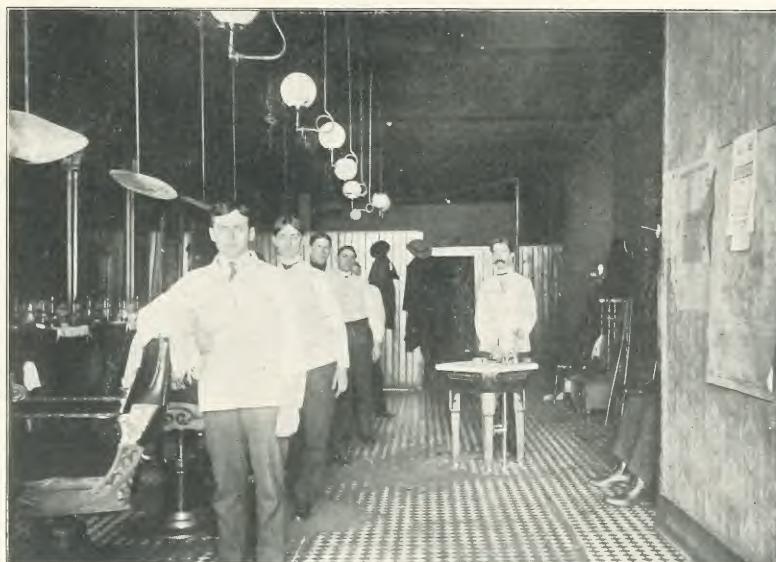
The home office of the Newark Natural Gas and Fuel Company is in Pittsburg, Mr. C. P. Elliott, of this city being local agent and manager of the Newark office. S. A. Wheeler, is president of the company, P. W. Luper, vice president and general manager, and E. J. Whitcomb, secretary and treasurer, L. F. Carl, Cashier.

Mr. C. P. Elliott, the manager, who has made such a success of the company in Newark was born in Knox county, Ohio, June 14, 1864, resided in Kansas City for some time, where he engaged in the livery business, giving this up to go into the gas business, in which he has been most successful. He is a member of the Ancient Order United Workmen, which is one of the strongest and most substantial lodges in Newark, and resides with his family in North Fourth street, where he owns a pretty home.

The company has offices at 44 North Third street, which are attractively fitted out for the convenience of transacting business and comfort of the patrons of the company. The office force consists of fifteen persons, who are kept busy almost continuously looking after the wants of the consumers and attending to the enormous business of the company.



OFFICE NATURAL GAS CO.



INTERIOR OF BARBER SHOP

EVANS & BOLEN.

Barber shops are many in Newark, and there are a number of ones where excellent service can be secured, but there is none more metropolitan than the one owned and managed by Evans & Bolen, at No. 19 North Third street. The shop was established in November, 1900, and now seven chairs are used continuously to attend the rapidly growing patronage the firm enjoys.

The employees, numbering seven, are all first-class union barbers and have demonstrated their ability to handle the razor and brush in a perfect and easy manner which is so much appreciated by the customer, and especially one with a stiff beard, where ease in shaving makes a friend for the barber as well as a new customer.

The room is 18 by 80 feet, well planned for successfully handling the large patronage the shop enjoys, plenty of room for the movements of the employees, and in the rear several bath tubs where a refreshing bath may be taken at any time, on an instant's notice.

Mr. J. E. Evans, the senior member of the firm, was born near St. Louisville, this county, August 26, 1867, and has been a resident of this city since 1887. He is a first-class tonsorial artist and looks after one of the chairs in his shop daily. The junior member, Mr. Bolen, was also born near St. Louisville, in 1860, and almost brought up in a barbershop, having been able to shave as well as the ordinary barber, when but a small boy.

Mr. Evans is a member of the Christian Church and of the lodge of Forresters, which are very strong in Newark.



INTERIOR IDEAL ART STUDIO.

IDEAL ART STUDIO.

The Ideal Art Studio, occupying rooms at No. 27 North Second street opposite the Auditorium was established in August, 1903 and from its start has enjoyed an increase of business beyond the expectation of the proprietor, Mr. J. L. Garrison.

The owner and manager is an artist and specimens of his work may be found in some of the best homes in the city.

Portrait making in oil and water color, and etc., are a specialty of this house, only the highest grade of work being allowed to leave the store. A no small item of the business is the manufacture of picture frames, which is done in connection with the other branches of the trade. At the Licking County Fair in 1903 the several specimens of work exhibited by Mr. Garrison all took first prizes in their various classes, the work being far superior to anything ever before brought to the attention of the judges.

Mr. Garrison is a native of Ohio, and was born in Cincinnati June 14th, 1863 and for a period of eight years attended the Cincinnati Art School, after which, previous to coming to Newark, he owned establishments in various cities in the state. Since coming to Newark Mr. Garrison has built up a nice business which is constantly on the increase.



MASSAGE AND ELECTRIC LIGHT ROOM.

pody. Rheumatism, all digestive and nervous disorders are treated with gratifying results.

The officers and members of the Sanitarium Company are as follows; President, W. L. Secor; Vice-president, C. E. Robishaw; Secretary, A. J. Kennedy; Treasurer, R. I. Francis; Manager, Harry S. Miller; Matron, Mrs. Harry S. Miller.

THE NEWARK SANITARIUM.

One of the new institutions of Newark, which have added much to its fame as a city of the first class, progressive and up-to-date in every way is the Newark Sanitarium Treatment Rooms and Turkish Bath Parlors, located at 103 East Main street, where they occupy a fine large residence building remodeled expressly for this purpose.

The Sanitarium Company are not located in Newark to work in opposition to the City's physicians but to work with them and have been fortunate in securing the assistance and co-operation of the larger part of the medical fraternity. The institution is nicely located and well equipped to give satisfaction in all cases intrusted to their care, having several trained nurses, graduates from the Battle Creek Sanitarium in constant attendance.

The treatments include Turkish, Russian, Vapor, Spray, Shower, Electric and Salt baths, massage, ladies' head shampoo, manicuring and chirop-



CORNER OF BED ROOM.

DANIEL ALTSCHOOL.

For nearly twenty years this establishment has been a leader for handling the most carefully selected and choice of imported and domestic wines and liquors known to the trade.

This state of affairs is due to the practical experience of Mr. Altshool, who is an expert in everything pertaining to these goods and their manufacture and sale. His concern has a large and growing trade in wholesaling and retailing, only the best brands obtainable being used for his extensive trade.

Mr. Altshool, by his uniform courtesy, and his recognized honorable methods of dealing with the trade, has succeeded in building up an enviable patronage which extends over the entire state.

He is a native of the South, having been born in Shreveport, La., July 1st, 1859, and has been a resident of this city since 1884, when he settled in Newark and established his present business. Mr. Altshool is a member of the Newark Lodge of Elks, Eagles and the Knights of Pythias.

Quality and honesty are the cardinal points which go to make up the successful business career of to-day. It is an easy matter for any one to start in business, but it is the length of time they are able to remain is what tells. Quality of the goods sold and a reputation for honesty and sterling integrity is the corner-stone of continued success.

In no line of business in Newark is the reputation for good goods more desirable than in the importing and wholesaling of liquors and wines. A firm representing the highest development of this line of trade is the old established house of Daniel Altshool, located at No. 28 South Third street, in the same room he has occupied since the establishment of the business in August, 1884.

The building is a three story brick, and is 40 x 100, and stocked from cellar to garret.



INTERIOR OF STORE.



LAKE & McINTURF.

Contributing to the pleasure, convenience and comfort of the citizens of every community, is that branch of mercantile pursuits known as the livery business. In this line we notice the old established livery of Lake & McInturf, located in the rear of the Doty House.

These stables have been used for many years for this purpose, the present concern being established in 1900 by Otha Jones, then changed to Seymour Livery Stables, Mr. S. B. Livingston purchasing them from the last named gentleman and taking as his partner Mr. C. D. Lake, the present senior member of the firm. Mr. Livingston disposed of his interests to Mr. J. S. McInturf, who is now conducting the business with Mr. Lake.

The stables, which are 50 by 60 feet in dimensions, are commodious and conveniently arranged, fitted up with all the modern improvements, employing four hostlers and keeping for livery purposes some of the finest horse flesh in the central part of the state, together with a number of stylish and up-to-date carriages and rigs, as well as several four seated rigs for various purposes.

Mr. Lake was born in Licking County, January 1st, 1860, and followed farm life for many years, being probably one of the best known residents of Licking County, which fact has stood him in good stead in his present line. He has been interested in the livery business since 1901. Mr. Lake is a member of the Knights of Pythias, Modern Woodmen and the Eagles, all of which enjoy a large membership in Newark.

The newer member of this firm, Mr. McInturf, is also a native of Licking County where he was born on December 2nd, 1854. He has been interested in farming for many years and purchased the interests of Mr. Livingston in March, 1903.

THE HOTEL WARDEN.

The well known and deservedly popular Hotel Warden was opened by Captain Frank G. Warden, in March, 1886, and continued under his personal management until October 1st, 1903, when the junior member of the firm, Mr. Eugene F. Tuttle, purchased an interest in the property.

The hotel is conveniently located on the corner of East Main and the Square, in a fine four story brick structure, 100 by 100 feet, containing 80 rooms, which are easy of access from large, wide halls; well lighted and finely furnished. The dining room, kitchen and office, with a fine cafe well stocked with the choicest brands of liquors and cigars, are all located on the first floor.

Captain F. G. Warden, who opened the hostelry and successfully conducted the business for many years, was born in Licking county, December 9, 1858, and graduated at Denison University in 1880.

After studying law in Ann Arbor, Mich., for three years he received his degrees from this institution in 1883, after which he practiced at his profession for five years. He was very successful in politics and secured the election to the position of City Solicitor on the Republican ticket by the largest majority ever given to a Republican or Democrat in Licking



HOTEL WARDEN.

The new member of the company, Mr. Eugene F. Tuttle, was born in Boston, Mass., July 26, 1858, and has been identified w h this line of trade all his life, starting at the age of 15 years as clerk in the famous ill-fated Windsor Hotel of New York City, which was burned several years ago, with such great loss of life. For five years he was owner and proprietor of the Newcomb Hotel, Quincy, Ill., and the St. Dennis Hotel of Columbus, Ind., for more than seven years.

Mr. Tuttle is a member of the Masonic Order and the Elks. He is now acting manager of the hostelry and is making many friends among the traveling public. A number of improvements have recently been made in the office furnishings, which have added greatly to the appearance and convenience of the apartments, many more being contemplated.

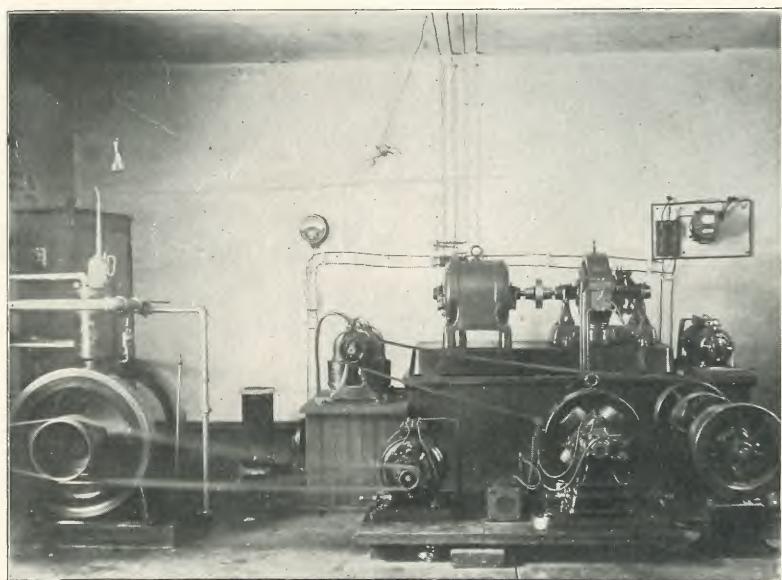
County, the county at that time being one of the strongest Democratic counties in Ohio. He is a leading member of Newark Lodge of Elks, and assisted greatly in the organization of the now prosperous lodge in this city, being elected the first Exalted Ruler of this body. Captain Warden has large financial interests in the city, being a stockholder and director in the Newark Ice and Cold Storage Company, a stockholder and president of the Citizens Electric Light Company, and is the individual owner of the Doty Hotel property, besides having other large real estate interests here.

THE NEWARK TELEPHONE COMPANY.

The Newark Telephone Company is purely a Newark concern, all the stock-holders and directors being representative business men of this progressive city. The officers of the company are all well-known citizens of the city and substantial and worthy the high regard in which they are held by the people of Newark.

The Newark Telephone Company was organized in 1895, being incorporated in April that year for \$20,000 and when started had only 200 subscribers. The growth was gradual until about a year ago, when the new central energy system was installed, the list being increased to more than thirteen hundred subscribers in this city alone. The company has direct connection with hundreds of Licking county people in towns near Newark and along the country roads leading to these towns. The Newark exchange, located at 38½ North Third street, is connected with exchanges in Johnstown, Croton, Pataskala, Granville, Homer, Hebron, Thornville and the many Farmer's lines which cross the country. Besides these individual lines there are about 35 toll stations in Licking county.

The Company gives a ten cent rate (for one minute) to Columbus and has connection all over Ohio and in many parts of adjoining states.



POWER ROOM.



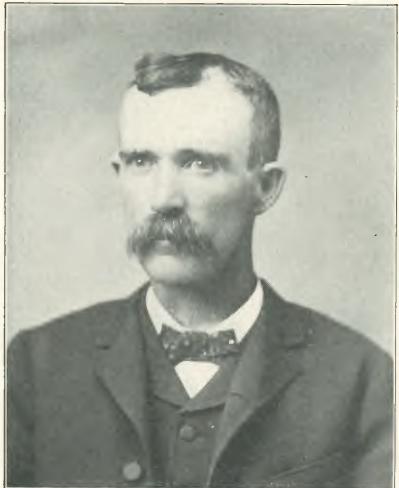
OPERATING ROOM.

The Newark company employs 35 experienced persons in the various departments of the business, each department being in charge of a thoroughly competent person, who has full charge of that particular branch, the entire management being under Mr. Charles Hollander, who has been in this capacity for the past eighteen months during which time the business of the office, under his personal supervision, has increased beyond the anticipation of the owners of the plant. Mr. Hollander, who has had much success with the management of the concern is a native of Massachusetts, having been born in Somerville. He was educated at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and before coming to this city had several years experience in other electrical enterprises.

The officers of the Newark Telephone Company are :

- President, Harry Swisher.
- Vice President, John C. Brennan.
- Secretary, Chas. Spencer.
- Treasurer, Edward Kibler.
- Manager, C. E. Hollander.

W. M. WILSON.



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ark and located the present stand. He is well known throughout Licking county and has many friends who will attest to his judgment and care of horses.

He is a prominent member of the I. O. O. F.

Prominent among the leading livery stables is the one owned and managed by Mr. W. M. Wilson, and which is located on East Church street, in the rear of the Kuster restaurant. The stables, which are used for boarding as well as sale stables, occupy a fine brick structure 80 by 125 feet in dimensions, and is two stories in height, with every modern convenience for this business. Especial care is taken of fine race horses and stallions, a number of which are placed in Mr. Wilson's care.

The present place was established in 1899 and has since proved a most successful venture.

Mr. Wilson is a native of Licking County having been born in Mary Ann township, on February 27, 1852. In 1899 he came to Newark and located the present stand. He is well known throughout Licking county and has many friends who will attest to his judgment and care of horses.

C. H. HUBER.

Probably one of the oldest established bakeries is the Huber Bakery located at No 61 South Second street. The store is a model of neatness and the bakery in the rear is fitted with the latest improved ovens and appliances. A force of skillful workmen are employed and the class of pastries and breads which issue from the bakery will attest to the excellence of the quality of the goods made, and families, hotels and the trade generally are supplied. Mr. C. H. Huber, the proprietor and manager is a native of New Jersey, having been born in Camden February 18, 1856. He is a selfmade man and has built the business from a small beginning to its present extensive proportions by his thrift and knowledge of the inner workings of the bakery business, being versed in all parts of the business and overseeing the work himself, giving each part his strictest attention. In commercial circles he is held in the highest regard and numbers his friends only by his acquaintances. He is also a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and the Redman Lodges of this city.

The plant in South Second street occupies a building owned by the proprietor with a floor space of 50 by 200 feet, each portion of the place being fitted with machinery for doing the work in the best possible manner. The bakery makes a specialty of pies, cakes and bread for hotels and enjoys probably the largest trade of this sort of any bakery in the city of Newark.



C. H. HUBER.

THE BUCKEYE TRANSFER COMPANY.

The Buckeye Transfer Company, Garry Hill owner and manager, is one of the well known institutions of the city. It has been the result of the large increase of business in Newark, which is conducive to trade in this line. Mr. Hill is well known and reliable and enjoys the reputation of being a man of his word, and any business placed in his hands is sure of prompt and careful attention. He does a large business in transferring and hauling from the



GARRY HILL.

three railroad companies, including the Columbus, Buckeye, Lake and Newark traction company, having charge of the express business of the latter named line.

Mr. Hill was born in Putman County, Ohio, July 27th. 1875 and has been a resident of Newark since October, 1896, and worked at the car building trade until 1902, when he purchased the above business, in which he has been most successful. He is a prominent member of the Newark lodge of the A. O. U. W.

Disease, from an Osteopathic standpoint, is due to disturbed blood flow or perverted nerve action. This disturbance is due to deranged anatomy, resulting from traumatic, thermic or other influences. In health the adjustment of the various parts of the body is perfect; in disease this relation is disturbed. Osteopathy removes the cause, whether bony or muscular, increases blood flow, stimulates nerve action, by mechanical means without the aid of drugs, in short, it assists nature to overcome disease by adjustment of the machinery of the human body.

Osteopathy was discovered by A. T. Still, of Baldwin, Kan., in 1874, who was then a practicing physician in Kansas. Dr. Still spent many years in developing the new science and in putting its principles into practice in the treatment of both acute and chronic diseases. He is the founder and president of the American School of Osteopathy located at Kirks-

FRANKLIN E. CORKWELL.



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ville, Mo. The aim and object of the College is to reform medicine and surgery so as to bring the true science of medicine and surgery into harmony with the teachings of nature, and thus establish a true natural medical school of healing.

Dr. Corkwell is a native of Ohio and was born in Mt. Sterling; July 12, 1873, and after graduating from the American School of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo., practiced for a time in his home town before locating in this city. He is a pleasing young man to meet and enjoys the confidence and good will of a host of friends and patients.

He is a member of the Masons and I. O. O. F.

His suite of offices, located at 96½ West Main street, in the Avalon, is a model of neatness, and are visited daily by many of the better class of Newark citizens.

WEAKLEY & BALLINGER.

Among the prominent concerns in Newark is the firm of Weakley & Ballinger, located in Franklin street, manufacturers of tin and slate roofing, sheet iron and copper work.

The present business was established on March 1st, 1903, and has enjoyed a large business since its establishment. They have a well equipped plant and employ about ten people in the manufacturing of the product.

Mr. J. W. Weakley, the senior member of the firm, was born in Berkley Springs, W. Va., October 18th, 1872, and has been a resident of Newark for the past eighteen years, fourteen of which has been spent in this line of business. He is a member of the K. of P. and the D. O. K. K.

W. F. Ballinger is a native of Ohio and was born at West Jefferson, October 30th, 1861. He, as is his partner, is thoroughly experienced in this line, having worked at his trade for twelve years previous to entering the business for himself.



J. W. WEAKLEY.



W. F. BALLINGER.

PORTERFIELD & COMPANY.



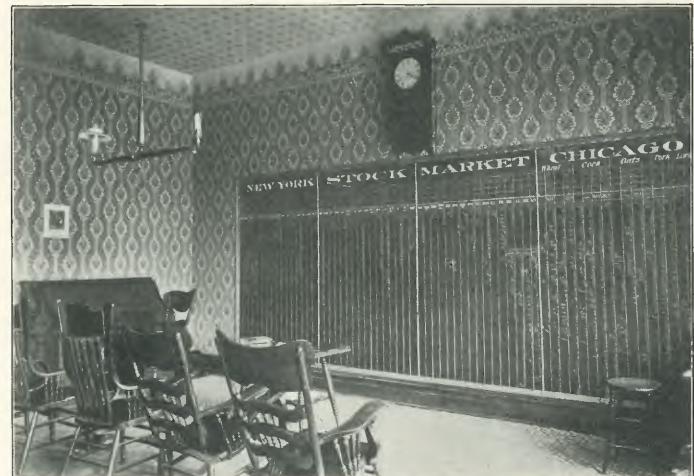
W. J. CASHILL.

In these modern days no up-to-date wideawake city can call itself complete unless it has direct communication with the entire world, and its markets. Newark along with its other modern improvements and facilities, is in an enviable position in this respect.

The Chicago Banking and Commission House of Porterfield & Company with its well known enterprise has, during the past year, connected Newark direct to their offices in Chicago, which gives the producer in this section an opportunity to keep in constant touch with the fluctuations of the prices of their products. The farmer by, visiting their offices in the Scott Building, can immediately obtain the latest quotations on Hogs, Wheat, Corn and Oats, while the Banker and investors at large can obtain the latest quotations on Government and other bonds, railway and trust securities, and all the world's news pertaining to the finances and markets of the entire world. Ten years since the slow methods of the mails were deemed sufficient, but in this advanced age a city without instantaneous intercourse, through a direct

wire system is looked upon as belonging to the past.

Messrs. Porterfield & Company have for their manager at Newark a very popular and obliging gentleman in the personage of Mr. W. J. Cashill, who will take pleasure in not only handling any business entrusted to him, but will gladly phone or mail any information desired.



BOARD ROOM.

CHARLES E. MATTHEWS.

Charles E. Matthews, the subject of this sketch, although a native of Michigan, has been a citizen of Ohio for eighteen years, fourteen of which have been spent in Newark, where he is well known.

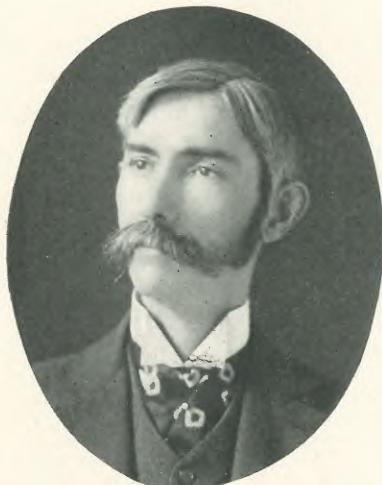
Mr. Matthews has been interested in newspaper



CHARLES E. MATTHEWS.

work for the past five years and in that time has been connected with the Newark Advocate, Newark American Tribune, Chicago American and the Ohio State Journal.

Since April, 1903, Mr. Matthews has successfully managed the Newark Branch office of the Ohio State Journal.



DR. FRANK P. GREGORY.

ALBANY DENTISTS.

Dr. Frank P. Gregory, the manager of the Albany Dental Parlors 31½ South Park Place, was born April 21st 1860 in Luzerne County, Pa. He was educated in the public schools and Columbus Acadamy, working between terms to pay his tutition. He then became a teacher in the public schools of that county for seven years becoming one of the leading teachers in that section of the state, holding some of the best positions in the higher schools of the county. After procuring means, in this way, he entered the Philadelphia Dental College, graduating from that wellknown institution in 1888. He began practicing in his home town, proving very successful, but at the end of five years closed, his office and going to Philadelphia, took a post graduate course in crown and bridge work,

after which he removed to Pueblo, Colo., where he remained until the spring of 1900. He then traveled for eight months, visiting most of the large cities of the country studying and comparing the various methods of dentists in the different parts of the United States. After thoroughly satisfying himself he established an office in Newark, where he has met with the success that integrity and broad experience would command. He is a member of the I. O. O. F. and the W. O. W.

N. B. WILKINS.

This popular and well known provision house dates its inception from 1878, and since that time has always been at the front in its particular line. The present owner, Mr. N. B. Wilkins, took charge about one year ago, when Mr. Lamb was elected to the Board of Public Safety of Newark. The premises occupied embraces a nicely furnished room 24 by 150 feet in dimensions, wherein is carried a full and complete assortment of staple and fancy groceries and provisions. Eight assistants are employed in waiting on trade and attending to delivery of orders, five wagons being used for this purpose alone. Special pride being taken that each and every order, no matter how large or how small, receive the best of attention.

Mr. Wilkins was born in Newark, and previous to purchasing the grocery store he now so successfully manages, was a conductor on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway. He is a member of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and is well-known in Newark, where he has made his home for several years.

CHAS. VAN ATTA.

In the city of Newark, which abounds in fine grocery stores, there is none, more up-to-date and inviting than the little store on the corner, or as it is better known, the Chas. L. Van Atta grocery, in the new Union Block corner North 4th. street and W. Church street. This grocery was established only in April, 1903 by Mr. Biddle, who after building a substantial trade disposed of his interests here, the Mr. Chas. L. Van Atta, who is wellknown to all the citizens of Newark as probably the best judge of good groceries of any man in the city. He was almost brought up in the business so to speak and has been identified with this line in the mercantile world ever since he became old enough to tell the price of an article. Mr. Van Atta is a native of Newark, having been born here, in May, 1866. For more than sixteen years he was a familiar figure in the large store of C. C. Rankin in South Park Place, leaving this store to go to the Tracy Grocery and latter the Vogelmier store in S. Fourth street.

His new place is completely stocked with all the choicest brands of fancy groceries of every description, every thing being handled in season. Three clerks are employed and they are kept continually busy looking after the many orders received each day. Mr. Van Atta is and has been for many years, one of the leading members of the Knights of Pythias in Newark and enjoys as large an acquaintance and friendship as any person in Newark.

J. L. BENNER.

One of Newark's prominent coal dealers is Mr. J. L. Benner, located at No. 48 South Second street. Coal traffic is now a commercial pursuit of enormous proportions and forms a principal factor in almost every city or town in the country, and Mr. Benner is wellknown as one of the leading dealers in this much used article of commerce. His present business was established in April, 1896, under the name of Benner Bros. and run under this firm name until 1902, when he purchased the interest of his brother, and since that time has increased the facilities of the business until now Mr. Benner enjoys one of the largest trades in the city. Six assistants are employed and four wagons are now used in making deliveries.

Mr. Benner makes a specialty of the well known Blue Rock coal, selling many tons each week. He was born in Licking county, January 16, 1862, and previous to locating in Newark, lived on a large farm. He is a member of the local lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen and is considered one of the substantial citizens of the city.

THE STANDARD PRINTING COMPANY.

One of the important enterprises which go to make up any great industrial center is the printing business. Prominent in this line is The Standard Printing Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This concern was organized in the spring of 1901, and began business in a small way at 22 and 24 East Rich street. Through the energy and business ability of the management, the project was a success from the very start. The excellency of the Standard press work being immediately recognized to such an extent that during the past year it has been found necessary to practically double the capacity to meet the increasing business. On February 1st, 1904, the plant was removed to its present location, 275 and 277 North Fourth street, where they occupy the entire building which has been remodeled and refitted expressly for this purpose. Large new presses and new type of the latest styles, together with all the equipments of the most modern makes have been installed, making the plant one of the most complete in the State of Ohio.

The Standard Printing Company makes a specialty of high grade three color work, and embossing of the highest class; printing and stationery of every description and kind. Catalogues are designed and built and in fact everything pertaining to the printing line is handled in the most satisfactory manner. We are safe in saying that some of the finest work in the entire country comes from the Standard Printing Company's presses, and they will be glad to submit estimates on any class of work in any part of the United States.

THE TERRY ENGRAVING CO.

The Terry Engraving Company of Columbus, Ohio, was organized in 1890. Beginning in a small way, it has rapidly advanced and is today one of the leading Engraving Houses in the Middle West. It was incorporated in 1891.

The plant was located in the Hartman Block until January, 1891, when it was nearly destroyed by fire. In three days time they were operating the plant in their present quarters in the Grand Opera House Block, 51½ East State street.



They now have a most progressive establishment, employing forty people, also a staff of artists capable of handling anything in the way of special designing, music and catalogue covers and mechanical retouching.

They do engraving for many of the leading firms for their catalogues and magazine advertising, the quality of their work being known from one end of the country to the other. They also handle special editions and college annuals.

The plant is now under the able and efficient management of Mr. W. R. Jones, whose thorough knowledge of every detail of the business, insures for its patrons the best possible attention and most satisfactory results. Write for prices and samples.

J. D. BADER.



INTERIOR VIEW OF CAFE.

Recognized as one of the leading cafes of Newark is the place opened in May, 1903, at No. 18 West Main street by Mr. Joseph D. Bader. It is conducted on those honorable business principles which without any effort on the part of the management, secure the respect and patronage of the best class of trade enjoyed by any place of the kind in the city.

Mr. Bader has had several years experience in this line of business, having established his first restaurant and saloon on the corner of West Main and Fifth streets in 1890. In 1900 he secured the old stand at No. 9 South Third street, which he later disposed of, prior to locating at his present stand.

He occupies probably one of the finest rooms in the city, having dimensions of 18 by 140 fitted up in palatial style in every respect, where only the finest wines, liquors and cigars are kept in stock. A finely equipped billiard and pool room is run in connection, this place being the acknowledged leader in this line, hardly a day passing but a fine matched game of billiards or pool can be witnessed.

Mr. Bader was born in Newark on March 25th, 1870, and is a member of Newark Lodge of Elks, Catholic Order of Forresters, and the American Protective Union. He employs two of the finest mixologists in this section of the state, who assist him in looking after the immense trade enjoyed.

R. C. BIGBEE.

Mr. R. C. Bigbee, owner of the large flour mill in the rear of 127 West Main street, where the celebrated "White Swan" Flour is manufactured, is probably one of the best known and most successful of the business men of Newark. For several years he owned the popular distillery where the far famed "Lost Run" whiskies were made, the distillery being located in Knox County, where it was established by Mr. Bigbee in 1881. He has distilled hundreds of barrels of this popular brand, which is especially known as a great family whiskey. In 1898 he disposed of his interests to take full charge of the present business.

The flour mill was started in the fall of 1902. Mr. Bigbee having built it especially for this purpose, installing entirely new machinery with a capacity of 35 barrels daily. The flour manufactured is one of the best on the market and has proved a great seller.

Mr. Bigbee also conducts a liquor store at No. 11 West Main street, which is a model in every respect, being probably the best managed establishment of the kind in the city.

Mr. Bigbee was born in Richland County, Ohio, February 4th, 1849, and during the Civil War served his country bravely. He enlisted at the tender age of fifteen years, serving the entire five years. He is a member of the G. A. R. and the Odd Fellows Lodge. He is a good business man, an influential citizen and is self-made.



R. C. BIGBEE'S MILLS.



CHAS. SCHALLER.



ED. SCHALLER.



W. R. MCPHERSON.

SCHALLER BROS.

As the finest equipped and best stocked sample room in Newark we notice the "Old Homestead" which is thoroughly metropolitan in all its appointments and is conducted on those principles which reflect credit on its management as well as the community at large. The Old Homestead stand has been established many years and is undoubtedly the best known sample room and restaurant in the city of Newark. It is nicely equipped with a good bar, and fixtures, a fine pool and billiard room with five new tables and also has a restaurant adjoining which is one of the most reliable and popular institutions of the kind in Newark.

The present proprietors Messrs. Ed. and Charles Schaller took possession of the business in June 1902 and have succeeded in building up a fine trade among the best class of patrons in the city. Ed. Schaller was born in this city Aug. 1st, 1867. He is well known in Delaware, Ohio, where for more than twelve years he was engaged in the tailoring business. He has been a resident of our city for several years past and enjoys a host of friends as does his brother Chas. who is connected with him in the business. Charles Schaller is also a native of Newark, where he was born May 1st 1865. For several years he was connected with the city police force and in 1902 purchased the business with his brother, from Ambrose Schaller. Both are members of the Knights of St. John and the Licking Aeria of Eagles.

McPHERSON & CLARK.

(HEBRON, OHIO.)

There is scarcely anyone department of business which so materially reflects the character and standing of our leading trade centers at home and abroad as that of our prominent hostleries. In this respect the citizens of Hebron are surely to be congratulated over the fine structure and able management displayed in the conduct of the Hebron Hotel, owned and managed by Messrs. McPherson and Clark of that place.

The present business was established in March, 1903 and now employs seven assistants in caring for the large patronage enjoyed. In connection with the hotel they have a finely equipped cafe and also a well stocked livery stable, the buildings occupied covering a ground space of 60 by 200 feet in dimensions.

Mr. McPherson was born in Dundee, Canada, Dec. 27, 1873 and has been a resident of the United States since he was two years of age. He was also engaged in the lumber business in Michigan for several years, prior to locating in Ohio. He is a member of the Knights of Phythias and the Eagles.

Mr. Clark was born near Bellvue, Canada in 1865 and for many years prior to entering the present business was a conductor on the D. S. and W. R. R. He is also a member of the K. of P. and the Eagles.



H. E. CLARK.

G. E. BRICKLES.

Newark is fortunate in having the best mercantile establishments in every line of business, and the citizens generally concede that the grocery stores of the city will equal, if not surpass, those of cities much greater in population. G. E. Brickles, the subject of this sketch, was born in Barnesville, O., in August, 1875, and has been engaged in the grocery business in Newark since September, 1891, starting on the corner of East Main and Buena Vista streets, but removing to his present location, 356 North Fourth street, in July, 1892. He is a prominent member of the local lodge of the A. O. U. W., which is one of the strongest organizations in Newark. The store occupies a floor space of 50 by 50 feet, and four clerks are constantly employed taking and delivering orders. Mr. Brickles enjoys an extremely large trade extending to all sections of the city, and has the reputation of always filling orders in a manner perfectly satisfactory to his customers. Fine groceries and meats are his specialties, and he welcomes one and all to his store.



G. E. BRICKLES' STORE.

E. W. PROCTER.

No history of Newark would be complete without a mention of Mr. E. W. Procter, the wellknown painter and paper hanger, whose office and residence is located at No. 24 South 6th street. Mr. Procter has been engaged in this particular line since 1893 and has been very successful in building up a large trade among the best class of people in the city.

He makes a specialty of fine interior decorating, paper hanging and painting.

Mr. Proctor is a native of Licking County, having been born in Alexandria, on April 20th. 1850. He has worked at his trade in Chicago, Cincinnati, Detroit, Columbus and Newark for the past twenty-four years and is one of the pioneer paper hangers of the city. He is a member of many of the best lodge organizations in the city among them being, the C. of H., K. of P., Eagles, K. of H., Knights and Ladies of Honor, Grand Army, Chosen Friends, Uniform Rank of K. of P. and the Dis. 35 Redmen of Toledo.

WM. EVANS.

No branch of our industrial and commercial pursuits of the present day stand out more prominent than does that of the undertaker and embalmer. A representative house in this line is that of Mr. Wm. Evans, pleasantly and conveniently located at No. 26 West Church street, where he has been since 1891. Previous to this time he was with the firm of Markley and Company for eleven years.

Mr. Evans is a native of Wales, where he was born May 27, 1836, and has resided in this country since 1841, coming to Newark, from Rome, N. Y., where he was located one year.

Mr. Evans is a cabinet maker by trade and was associated with George Markley in the furniture business, becoming a partner in 1880, but embarking in business for himself in 1891. He is one of the oldest members of Newark Lodge No, 623 I. O. O. F., and has been treasurer of this institution for more than twenty years, and also treasurer of Mt. Olive Encampment I. O. O. F., since the death of the late Mayor Nichols, July 1st, 1894.

He keeps constantly on hand a fine assortment of wood and cloth caskets, burial cases, and in fact everything in this line, as well as articles for repairing of all kinds of fine furniture, especially antique pieces. He has several fine funeral cars and will supply coaches for those occasions. He will take entire control of funeral obsequies, embalming and encasing bodies for shipment to distant points or for their preservation.

KELLER'S MILK DEPOT.

The Keller Milk Depot, located at No. 229 North 4th street was established about one year ago by Jud Keller, who is the owner and proprietor of the business, and enjoys a large trade among the best class of people in the city. The depot handles sweet milk, cream, butter and eggs, it being necessary to employ five assistants to handle the ever increasing business, two wagons being used for delivery purposes, the depot having customers in all parts of the city.

Mr. Keller has a large dairy farm of his own, located about two miles west of

of Newark in Sharon Valley, well stocked with the finest registered Jersey Cows. He was born in Licking County, April 6th 1854 and for the past fifteen years has been in this business. He is a member of the A. O. U. W. M. W. of A. and the Degree of Honor and is a wellknown and substantial business man, whose integrity is unquestioned.



KELLER'S MILK DEPOT.

THE L. HOSTER BREWING CO.



GEO. E. BADER.

From the earliest ages of the world the use of beer has been known to the nations of the civilized countries, and in the early history of many of them it has ranked with bread as one of the absolute necessities of life. That a drink known for so many centuries and used by all nations is evil in its effects, in all cases, can hardly be supposed. Newark has an enviable reputation for using the purest beers. The product of the L. Hoster Brewing Company of Columbus, has a large hold on the consumers of beer in Newark and vicinity, the agent, Mr. George Bader, having made the agency here one of the most profitable the company enjoys.

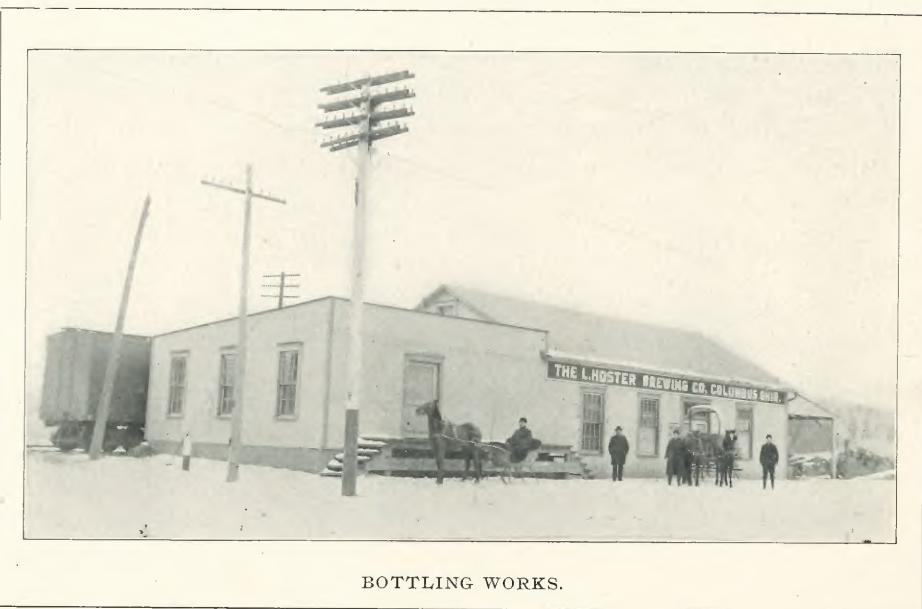
The Newark Bottling works of the L. Hoster Brewing Company occupies a fine building, 50 by 150 feet in dimensions, erected especially for this use, on the corner of Clinton and St. Clair streets. It is the only up-to-date bottling works in the city, and the employees handle more beer than any other two concerns of the kind in the city.

The Newark agency of the Hostler Company was established in November, 1891, and purchased from the agent, E. F. Loudenslager, by Mr. Bader in September, 1894. It was then located on Franklin street, being removed to the present location in June, 1901.

Mr. George E. Bader, the present agent, who has had such great success with the product of the Columbus plant, was born November 18th, 1870, and after working at the trade of blacksmith for five years, secured employment with Mr. Loudenslager in May, 1894, and in September of the same year purchased the interests of that gentleman in the business and has since conducted it with much profit to the company as well as himself. When he took the agency only two cars of beer were used each month. Now the number consumed in Newark will exceed eight cars of 100 barrels each.

Mr. Bader is probably one of the best known and most cordially liked men in Newark. He is an enthusiastic sportsman and is a member of the Licking Gun Club, one of the progressive organizations of Newark. He is also a working member of Licking Aerie of Eagles.

It may be conservatively estimated that the Hostler Brewing Company expend more than \$100,000 each year in the city of Newark. Their total output is 500,000 barrels annually.



BOTTLING WORKS.



J. A. VOGEL.

Several assistants are employed by Mr. Vogel in the manufacture and delivery of the product of the plant, two wagons being necessary to meet the requirements of the city trade.

Mr. J. A. Vogel, better known to his host of friends as "Johnie Vogel" is a native of Newark, being born in this city on April 13th 1863. He has resided here all his life and during that time has been identified with a number of business enterprises. For sometime he was in the grocery business and has also worked at his trade of molder. He is a member of the Buckeye Band, one of the finest musical organizations in this section of the state and is identified with the German Benevolent Society.

THE SPRING HILL BOTTLING WORKS.

The representative establishment in Newark of this particular line of industry is the Spring Hill Bottling Works, located at No. 22 Summit street. The present plant was opened in 1892 and since its inception has shown a large increase in patronage from the best class of consumers in Newark and many of the smaller towns in the county. The finest brands of soft drinks of every known description and variety are manufactured in large quantities and bottled by the superior process used exclusively in this city by this enterprising concern.



VIEW OF BOTTLING WORKS.

THE CONSUMERS BREWING COMPANY.

The Consumers Brewery, located on the corner of East Locust and North 1st. street, in the large brick structure, which for years has been one of the land marks of the city, is probably one of the most important industrial establishments in Newark.

This concern was conceived several years ago and a company, consisting mostly of Newark business men organized in the fall of 1897, the first beer manufactured being disposed of in this city in May, 1898.

The officers of the company are, President, Chas. Andre vice-president, D. M. Smith secretary and treasurer, J. A. Kremer local agent being Mr. Harry Rossel. The company employs twenty-five persons in brewing the beer and in making the deliveries, three large beer wagons being used constantly. The buildings occupy a space of 200 by 200 feet, with every known appliance and facility for brewing and perfecting the manufacture of the finest brand of beer.

The motto of the company is "Not to brew the most but the best." This motto has certainly been lived up to as the excessively large increase in the trade enjoyed by the home company will show. The office of the brewery is in charge of William P. Young, the book-keeper, who is always ready and willing to attend strictly to the wants of the customers.

In the various departments everything is modern and all the latest possible appliances for perfecting the work is used, the capacity of the concern being 30,000 barrels per year. The bottling establishment also has all the latest improvements and this branch of the business is rapidly growing, the bottled stock being used in the best homes of this and many other cities. Since 1901 they have added an ice manufacturing plant for the manufacture of pure distilled water ice of a capacity of 20 tons daily, the output besides being used in their business, being sold to many customers in this and other places. Mr. Chas. Andre, the president of the company was born in March, 1846 in Hessen Cassel,

Germany, and served his apprenticeship in the Krauss Brewery in that place coming to America in June, 1862. He held the position of Brewmaster in the well known brewery of Born & Co., Columbus for eighteen years, where he introduced the first bottled beer in that capital city.

Julius A. Kremer, secretary and treasurer of the company, is also a native of Germany, being born Jan. 4th 1846 in Dinslaken Rhein Prussia and after learning the building trade, worked for several years in the celebrated Krupp Gun Factory in Essen as draughtsman. After completing his studies he came to America in 1869, and located in Columbus, where he established himself as an architect. In connection with his business, he became acquainted with Mr. Andre, while superintending the erection of Born's Brewery. In 1897 the two men concluded to establish a brewery of their own and after visiting several cities located in Newark, forming the Consumers Brewing Company.

The popular Newark agent of the Consumers Brewing Company, Mr. Harry Rossel, is probably one of the best known men in Newark. He was born in this city, March 13, 1863 and learned the molder's trade at the B. and O. Shops, working there several years. For a short time he was agent for the Gerke Brewing Company, of Cincinnati and afterward conducted a saloon and restaurant in

Newark. Soon after the Consumers Brewery was established, Mr. Rossel was secured as the local agent, and the manner in which he has succeeded in this particular line, is a surety of not only the excellence of the product of the brewery, but also of the business qualities of the man. For six years Mr. Rossel has served the city as councilman, always being re-elected by his constituents.

Last year, when the new code went into effect, the citizens elected him as president of the city council, which of course makes him vice-mayor of the city.



VIEW OF BREWERY.

BORN & COMPANY.

Beer is rapidly becoming, if it has not already become, the natural beverage of the American people. When pure and manufactured only of the best material and by the most improved process, beer is acknowledged to possess efficacious medicinal properties and is recommended by the best physicians as a remedy for cases of debility and for many forms of disease. At the same time cultivated tastes differ in preference, and to meet the requirements of the various users has been the success achieved by the manufacturers of the well known Born's Beer, whose products are handled in Newark by John Kiefer, with offices and bottling works located in Park street, near the B. & O. R. R. freight offices.

Mr. Kiefer is well known to the liquor dealers and business men of the city generally and is considered one of the most progressive men in this line



of business in Newark, he being the first person in the city to steam the beer after its having been bottled. He has been agent for this brand of beer since 1893, when he succeeded Gus Kern, who held the position for three years previous. Mr. Kiefer has been very successful and has greatly increased the sale of the product here.

He was born in Nazareth, Pa., September 18, 1866, and for several years prior to locating here was employed as head bartender at the well known hostelry, the Buchtel Hotel in Akron. After removing to this city he opened a cafe for Gus Kern on the corner of Oak street and Hudson avenue.

Born & Company spend thousands of dollars in Newark each year, purchasing their immense supply of bottles from local glass factories, as well as spending a large amount for incidental expenses.

They enjoy an extensive trade in the county outside of Newark and ship to many more remote points daily, this department of the Newark agency being a large factor in the business.

They have a number of assistants and use several wagons in making city deliveries. Mr. Kiefer is a popular and prominent member of the Redmen, Eagles, German Benevolent Society, United Commercial Travelers and the Sons of Veterans.

Born & Company have the reputation of manufacturing the best brands of beers of any brewers in the State and their products always command the patronage of the better class of trade.

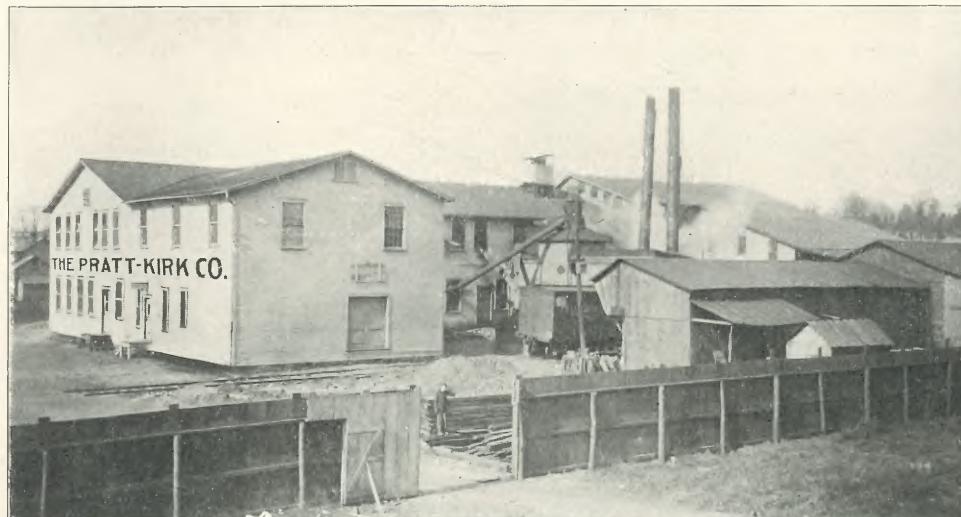
THE PRATT-KIRK CO.

Prominent among the vast industrial enterprises which make Newark a leader in the commercial and manufacturing world is the Pratt-Kirk Company, manufacturers of veneered doors and high grade interior finish.

This concern which employs seventy persons, all skilled mechanics is known all through the building world for the excellence of work furnished, and has filled many large contracts in Cleveland, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Columbus and many other large cities of the United States.

The business which was started on a very small scale in Granville Ohio, by Mr. Perry L. Pratt was changed to the firm name of Pratt and Montgomery in 1894 and later moved to Newark in 1896, locating in East Newark north of the Panhandle railroad tracks.

The concern was incorporated for \$75,000 on December 7th 1903 and has the following officers: President and treasurer, Perry L. Pratt, vice-presi-



VIEW OF THE PRATT-KIRK COMPANY'S PLANT.

dent, P. S. Phillips, secretary, Claudia Williams, general manager, H. L. Kirk, superintendent, E. G. Evans. The directors of the company are Messrs. P. L. Pratt, H. L. Kirk, E. G. Evans, A. H. Heisey, Orville Kiger, P. S. Phillips and Carl Norpel.

Mr. Perry Pratt, the president of the company is a native of Ohio and was born in Granville, Licking County in 1861. He has been connected with this line of trade since sixteen years of age and thoroughly knows every part of the business.

The general manager of the concern Mr. H. L. Kirk is a native of Pittsburg. He is a practical woodworker and as Mr. Pratt, has been identified with this line nearly all his life. Mr. E. G. Evans, the superintendent of the plant, has been connected with the factory since its inception and is thoroughly experienced in the business.

A. H. HEISEY & COMPANY.

In the manufacture of glass, Newark claims greater facilities than any other city in the United States. Almost at her very doors are unlimited deposits of the best sand for the manufacture of glass to be found anywhere, showing more than 99.6 per cent of pure silica, while the proximity of vast coal fields and the practically inexhaustable gas territory solves the problem of cheap fuel, and several railroads that of transportation. One of the best known industries in Newark is that of the A. H. Heisey Glass Plant, located in Oakwood avenue in East Newark on the line of the Pennsylvania railroad.



VIEW OF PLANT.

The Heisey Company manufactures all kinds and varieties of table glassware, vases, candlesticks, candelabra and etc., their products being used not only in all parts of the United States but also in Japan, Germany, England, France, Australia, New Zealand and various parts of South Africa.

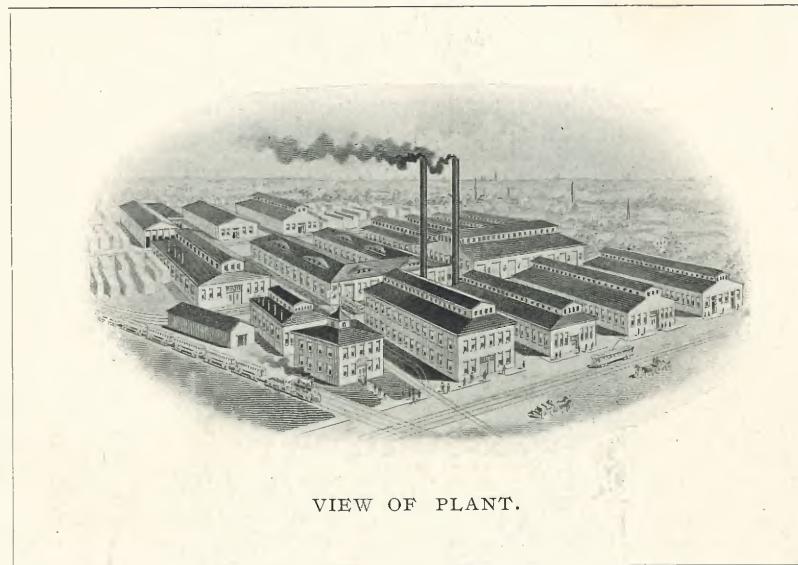
The plant comprises several large buildings erected expressly for this use, embracing besides a main factory, 90 by 90 feet; packing room 105 by 60; mold room 65 by 60; packed stock rooms, one 150 by 60 feet, the other 105 by 45 feet; loose stock rooms 150 by 60 feet, and 125 by 45 feet in dimensions, also a lehr room 90 by 70 feet and a cutting shop 95 by 60 feet.

The factory now gives employment to more than three hundred workmen, the capacity of the plant being taxed to its utmost.

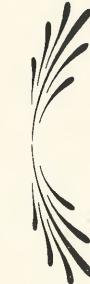
THE JEWETT CAR COMPANY.

In 1900 the plant and equipment of The Jewett Car Company was removed from Jewett, Ohio, to Newark, occupying the old buildings owned previous to this time by the Wyeth, Davis Manufacturing Company. The plant was enlarged several times to meet the requirements of the growing business and to-day it covers an area of ten acres of ground and gives employment to more than four hundred skilled workmen.

The business was established in Jewett, Ohio, in 1897 but on account of the limited facilities there, a new location was necessary and Newark was chosen. The present site has proven the wisdom of the members of the company, who were instrumental in bringing the concern to Newark where the increased output has been made possible, not only by the large number of skilled workmen residing here, but also by the great shipping facilities enjoyed, there being two of the greatest trunk lines in the country, running tracks into the buildings and yards of the company, thereby allowing the completed cars to be run on their own trucks to any part of the country.



VIEW OF PLANT.



The company manufactures all kinds of Electric, Interurban, Elevated and Subway cars of the highest grades, using nothing but the finest material obtainable. A large part of the rolling stock of the Elevated Roads of Chicago, New York and Brooklyn together with that of The New York Subway are products of the Jewett Car Company's plant.

The officers of the company, which was incorporated in 1900 are as follows; President, W. S. Wright; Vice-president and Secretary, Paul O. Rayman; General Manager and Treasurer, A. H. Sisson.

The immense business enjoyed by the firm is in no small manner due to the excellent business qualities and practical knowledge of the manager, Mr. A. H. Sisson, who is considered one of the most practical car manufacturers in the United States. Mr. Sisson is a native of Wheeling W. Va., where he was born in 1869. Before becoming identified with the Jewett Company, he was for many years a leading contractor of that city, where he was associated with Chas. Krebs, who is the present superintendent of the plant.

JONATHAN VICTOR HILLIARD.

One of our most interesting subjects is Jonathan Victor Hilliard, attorney at law, and an influential citizen of Newark, was born in Upper Sandusky, Ohio. He was reared upon a farm and attended the Reynoldsburg Academy. Before he was fifteen years old he received a teacher's certificate. When but sixteen he entered upon the life of a teacher, and taught and attended school alternately as his means would permit. After the death of his great grandfather in 1873 he made his own way in the world. Graduating in the Classical Course from Reynoldsburg Academy in 1874, Mr. Hilliard was afterward superintendent of schools in Centerville, Delaware county, for one year; he then entered Ohio Wesleyan University, completing the course in 1876. In 1876

When he entered the Recorder's office he commenced to read law and was admitted to the bar Dec. 5th 1892, entering on the practice of law Jan. 3rd 1893. While recorder he took considerable interest in the Sons of Veterans, and in 1890 was candidate for Colonel at the State encampment, receiving a good support. In 1891 at the State encampment at Toledo he was elected Colonel and served the usual term of one year, delivering over the office at the encampment of Chillicothe. During his official service, previous debts of the division amounting to \$1500.00 were all paid, and he turned over the Colonelcy with a membership of more than 7,000, and the division out of debt. At the Mansfield encampment in 1890 he was elected delegate at large to the National encampment held at St. Joseph, Mo., and has at-



JONATHAN VICTOR HILLIARD.

he was married to Miss Mary A. Algeo of Kirkersville, Ohio, and immediately afterward moved to Alexandria, Ohio where he was superintendent of the schools for three years. In 1881 the Probate Judge, George Grasser appointed him one of the school examiners for Licking county, in which capacity he served for six years; moving to Hartford, Mr. Hilliard was superintendent of the schools there for six years. He became prominent in public affairs of that place and was chosen Mayor, which position he filled efficiently for two years, and for a time he was also assistant postmaster to Joseph Coleman of that place. Nov. 2nd 1886 he was elected Recorder of Licking county which office he held two terms, moving his family to Newark in January 1887, where he entered upon the duties of his office.

tended nearly all the encampments since that time.

Politically, Mr. Hilliard is a Democrat and an ardent worker in the ranks; socially he belongs to the Congregational church, to Hebron lodge, A. F. & A. M., Clinton Chapter, No. 6, R. A. M., Clinton Commandery No. 5, K. T. Bigelow Council No. 7, R. & S. M., lodge No. 13, K. of P. in which he is past chancellor, and the I. O. O. F. Mr. Hilliard is a large real estate owner and a stock holder in The Peoples National Bank, The Newark Savings Bank and in various Building & Loan Associations. The family residence which is one of the most palatial in the city is located at No. 126 West Church street.

